

GUBERNATORIAL FIGHT IS STILL AN OPEN GAME.

Pardee's Friends Say He Occupies a Splendid Position—What Gage and Flint Men Claim--Candidates for Other Offices.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23.—Governor Gage's chances for re-nomination are decidedly slim.

His followers are visibly discouraged, and they have fallen to recriminating and reproaching each other with falling down and allowing themselves to be outgeneraled.

The disaffection in the San Francisco delegation grows, and some of Martin Kelly's people are announcing that they are not tied up to the Governor; they show a disposition to seek other alliances, and are making diligent inquiry as to who is the next man most likely to win.

The candidates for other places on the State ticket manifest a reluctance to having themselves classed as being on the Gage slate.

This is an indication, but it is also correct, for the Governor has no slate as a fact. He has been unable to frame one up that he had any prospect of carrying through.

Colonel Burns has been trying his hand, but each time his figures totaled up nearly a hundred votes less than the number required to nominate the Governor.

It has been found that the program delegates in San Francisco cannot be lined up on the Chairmanship.

With one or two exceptions the Thirty-seventh district delegation will vote for Neff, and there is a scattering of delegates from the other districts counted in the Gage column who refuse to be lined up.

Others with Flint leanings say a deal with Pardee means an abandonment of the Gage fight. Still others friendly to Gage say the Governor has confessed his inability to win when he made overtures to Pardee to save him from a Flint chairman.

Gaoutte is making trouble for Gage. He resents the attempt to pack the delegation for Beatty, and his friends are active disorganizers.

The Thirty-seventh and Thirty-ninth districts are lined up solid for him, and one of his active supporters said he had 77 votes in the city delegation, the

great majority of whom are more for Gaoutte than for Gage.

All these things are indicative of a thaw—the cracking, melting away and sloughing off that precedes a general breaking up.

What adds to Gage's weakness is the growing belief that he will be a hard man to elect.

The local candidates in the interior all say the sledding will be easier with any other man at the head of the ticket. Then calculation after calculation has been smashed.

The confident tips given out do not pan out on close survey, and instead of the predicted stampede to the Governor, the lines of the opposition grow firmer and steadier and more determined.

Then the conservative old veterans are recalling the party's experience in the campaigns of 1887 and 1894, and the recent faux pas in Oregon, when the rest of the State ticket was elected by 12,000, but the Governorship was lost.

The Chairmanship is still an open question.

Metcalf will not stand unless his selection is a certainty, and the Gage managers have not yet produced a satisfactory roll call of delegates. Gage's people must convince Metcalf and Pardee that he has enough votes to surely elect and also to agree to get out of the fight not later than the third ballot.

Neither proposition had been adjusted up to noon today. Pardee and Gage had a conference last night, but reached no agreement.

Gage would not consent to get out of the fight after the second or third ballot, and Pardee would agree to nothing less, and the further assurance that Gage could line up enough votes to insure Metcalf's election to the Chairmanship. So the situation in that respect is practically where it was two days ago, except that the Governor's managers are more anxious than ever to have Metcalf act as Chairman.

"This attempted alliance with Pardee is a complete backdown," said one of the best known Republican politicians in the State, a man friendly to Gage, but who is not taking an active part in the present campaign. "He had better have let the combined opposition elect their chairman and held his strength in reserve. Now he has uncovered his weakness, creating doubt in the minds of his supporters and giving confidence to his enemies. It now looks to me like Pardee or a dark horse."

The Pardee managers think they hold the whip hand of the fight. They are more confident than ever, and say their list of sure votes on the first ballot is growing.

"It looks like Pardee" is heard all around the lobbies.

Flint's people are working hard, but are a bit discouraged by the prospect of the bulk of the Gage strength going to Pardee.

They are also in a rather bad humor over the chairmanship, having confidently counted on the selection of Neff. Among Flint's callers today were Assessor Dalton and his deputy Charles Rupprecht.

The Gage managers are not doing much talking just now, but they still say the Governor will win. They do not fix the ballot, however.

Colonel Burns is silent, but his lieutenants are actively scurrying about. Evidently the Colonel is holding his forces in hand for some sort of a move—possibly a coup.

An old campaigner was asked what he thought of Hayes of San Jose. He replied he did not like the company Hayes kept. He is being backed by Abe Ruef and Jim Rea.

Edson says he will win on the first ballot. Van Duzer says not later than the third. It is alleged that in some respects he cannot be beaten.

Supervisors Mitchell and Rowe were among Dr. Pardee's callers today. The doctor did not arrive at headquarters till noon. He was jaded but confident.

A crowd of delegates gave Frank Jordan an ovation in the Palace rotunda today. Jordan's friends are flocking to him from all parts of the State.

TESTIMONY IN THE GAGE LIBEL CASE.

Witnesses Tell About the Furniture Made at San Quentin Prison.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23.—The defense in the Boardman-Spreckels libel suit placed several witnesses on the stand to prove that large quantities of furniture and other commodities have been manufactured within the penitentiary at San Quentin during the incumbency of Warden Aguirre, in violation of the laws of the State forbidding the manufacture of such articles.

John C. Edgar, captain of the guard at the prison, was the first witness called, and after stating that he had been employed at the prison for upward of fifteen years as its chief disciplinarian, stated that it is he who assigns the working convicts to the different departments where they are employed. Questioned what is known as room 1, the warden's shop, and also as "Virgin's shop," Edgar stated that some one has been employed in the shop during the entire regime of Warden Aguirre and that within the past few months the force of men employed under Virgin's supervision has been considerably increased; that the force of men employed by Virgin in his shop and by Ensign in the regular prison carpenter shop numbered about twenty-five men.

Edgar was unable to state, within his own direct knowledge, the class of work performed in the warden's shop, but he had not been inside the shop for two years.

Witness saw many pieces of furniture being taken from the shop, but never saw any in the course of construction. Edgar stated that on several occasions he saw musical instruments being taken from the room. In explanation of the statement that he had not been in the "warden's shop" for two years, Edgar stated that he refrained from going there because he knew it was the law that nothing should be made in the penitentiary to be sold outside and he did not wish to place himself in the embarrassing position of having to testify against those by whom he was employed. An objection to the statement of Edgar was over-ruled.

William Daley, released a short time ago after serving two years' imprisonment, was the next witness called. He testified to the fact that he was a painter and had been called upon several times to polish and finish several pieces of furniture made in the "warden's shop" and elsewhere, but refused to do the work asked of him "because he was too busy."

Witness said he had finished on a large number of cases, painting lead, scales, etc., on them that he had painted several buccies, manufactured in the warden's shop, and delivered to a man named Dowd, to Superintendent of the State Mill Burns and others. He said that when he first entered the prison his paint shop was located in "number 7," a room directly over "number 1," but he had been removed from there to the stables "because Captain Edgar had said that he would not permit a paint shop to be run in the State's prison." The cause of his removal, as stated by him, was ordered stricken from the record.

From his shop in the stables witness was enabled to see much that was going on, as persons leaving the penitentiary "by the lower gate" passed his window. Daley stated that he saw a great deal of furniture being carried out of the prison on an occasion, being in the prison warehouse on the water front, he examined several pieces of furniture, including a bureau which was wrapped in burlap and blankets for shipment. One package in particular, he remembered, was addressed to "Mrs. H. P. Gage, Downey, Cal."

Daley also stated that he saw hand-somely carved bedsteads, bedsteads and dressers made by Ed and by the initial "G." carved thereon. Earl, who was employed in the stables and elsewhere, had asked him to design monograms on the letter "G." and the letters "H. P. G." (Continued on page 2.)

MERRY TIMES AMONG THE STATE DEMOCRATIC CHIEFS.

Grand Duke Boris Says Mrs. Postley Is Prettiest Woman—Cyril Tobin Refused to Drink Champagne From Ethel Hager's Slipper—Bogus Life Saving Crew.

BY THE KNAVE.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23, 1902.—It is evident that Franklin K. Lane, City Attorney of San Francisco, is the candidate of the Phelan-McNab organization for the Democratic nomination for Governor. Much quiet work has been done in his behalf and some of the interior counties have declared for him. As McNab controls the San Francisco delegation, he should be able to throw the nomination to the man of his choice.

But the Union Labor party, to whom the Democrats must look for their chances of success, will have none of Lane—who, by the way, was an Oakland boy, his father having been a dentist there, while his mother was prominent in public charities work. The stand of the Union Labor party shows that the Democrats have troubles of their own.

The Examiner has served notice on the party that it will not support Lane, Senator J. C. Sims of Sonoma or Deputy District Attorney William H. Alford, because they are the Phelan-McNab candidates. On top of this, the Ironclad Club has declared against any candidate who did not support the party in the Bryan years—1896 and 1900. That is a smash at Tom Geary of Sonoma and Barney Murphy of San Jose. Consequently the list of Democratic aspirants is thinned out a good deal.

That Examiner editorial was telegraphed to Los Angeles. You'd have thought it would have caused the heart of Mayor Snyder to leap with joy, but it really gave him a pang. For only a few nights before Mrs. Snyder and Mrs. McNab had gone to the Tivoli together, and the Mayor feared that would bring him under the Examiner ban.

Of the other Democratic candidates, Governor Budd and Assessor Washington Dodge have declared time and again that they were out of the fight, but both really long for the nomination in case Gage is the Republican standard bearer. Ex-Lieutenant Governor Jeter and T. O. Toland, member of the State Board of Equalization, have been mentioned occasionally for the Governorship, but not often. And so the list of aspirants is about exhausted without finding the Moses to lead the Democrats out of their political wilderness.

A good story is being told on how J. O. Hayes of San Jose came to be in the Governorship fight among the Republicans. Abe Ruef, boss of the Primary League, was casting about for a candidate, his man Schmitz having gone to pieces like a quarter horse in a mile race, and he at last thought of the Hayes brothers. One of these brothers is called "Red" Hayes and the other "Black" Hayes, because of the color of their whiskers. Ruef had it in his mind to get "Red" Hayes, whose initials are "E. A." into the fight, but he got mixed on initials and gave to the papers the story that his Primary League votes would go to J. O. Hayes.

The papers made the announcement, and then Ruef found that he had the wrong pig by the ear. He had offered his endorsement to "Black" Hayes instead of to "Red." But as one brother was just as willing to run as the other, and as the sacks of both are equally long and their legs equally prehensile, Ruef let his endorsement go and "Black" Hayes became the candidate.

It would be a strange thing if that mis-

take in a matter of initials should result in making the wrong man Governor of California, but stranger things than that have happened in politics.

Prince Henry of Prussia set all the tongues wagging when he declared his off-hand opinion that Miss Dolan of Milwaukee was the most beautiful woman he saw in America. And now comes Grand Duke Boris of Russia, cousin of the great white czar, and sets all California a-chatter by the selection of his favorite.

The Grand Duke declared while he was visiting Monterey that Mrs. Sterling Postley was the most beautiful woman he had seen in America. He emphasized his opinion by specially requesting an introduction to Mrs. Postley and distinguished her as the only woman with whom he danced at the Hotel del Monte ball.

Mrs. Postley is a native Californienne and was Miss Ethel Cook of Belvedere when Sterling Postley, the rich New Yorker, wooed and won her. Her mother, a Miss Scofield, was a beauty before her and came from a prominent Greek family. She married H. M. Cook, who made a competence in the belting business and left it to his widow when he died. The Cook mansion at Belvedere has long been one of the notable dwellings on the pretty peninsula near Tiburon. The husband of Mrs. Postley is the son of Commodore Clarence Postley of the Larchmont Yacht Club. He was an army man and is very rich.

But all this family history had little or no charm for Grand Duke Boris. He had seen women with ancestors going back to Charlemagne, Clovis and Peter the Great. But here was a woman who needed no ancestry to make her charming, and the Grand Duke was quick to pay her the tribute of his admiration. Then came the compliment which has fluttered the tea tables of society in the cities and watering places of the State.

Mrs. Postley is tall and svelte. She wears gowns like a Parisienne on a figure which naturally has those long lines all the women nowadays are striving for. She has great blue-gray eyes, in which the shadows lurk in limpid depths. Her coloring is semi-blond, her complexion clear, and altogether she has quite a claim to the Grand Duke's compliment.

Gentle and Pedar Bruguere have tried their cameras on her in many poses. But beyond her beauty, Mrs. Postley has accomplishments. She is a master of the mandolin and the piano. She has written stories for the Argonaut and New York Sun, and some of these her admir-

ing husband, then an admiring suitor, had printed in an edition de luxe.

Just now the special fancy of herself and husband is for automobiling, and they recently made the run from Oakland to the Hotel del Monte. But it is as a horsewoman that she specially excels. On the mountain ranges there is no bucking broncho she dare not mount and master. She "rides straddle" and the fame of her skill as reinswoman runs far among the hills.

So it was quite a striking figure of a California girl that the discriminating Grand Duke said was the most beautiful woman he had seen in America.

Some people will remember what a stir was caused when the Baltimore gallants drank wine from the satin ball slipper of beautiful Betty Ordway.

The meteoric career of that young woman in society and on the stage—you will recall her as Bettina Girard—might have given pause to any maid who had a notion of imitating her famous exploit with her foot-gear. But girls never will learn, and now California society has had its wine and slipper episode.

Monterey was the scene of the incident—the Hotel del Monte Club House was the exact spot. There the belles and beaux of the swim had gathered and the glasses clinked. As the evening and the frolic waxed, a slipper of one of the maids went the rounds.

It was Ethel Hager's slipper, and some one filled it with champagne. The gallants quaffed in turn, as in duty bound, until the unusual chalice was passed to Cyril Tobin.

Now Cyril Tobin has a way of his own. He is far from a follower of habit or custom. Whether he thought the slipper lacked daintiness or the wine was wanting bouquet is matter of debate; but, in any event, he refused to drink. Whereat society and the clubs have been all a-chatter at his refusal, and there is far more discussion as to whether he had the right to refuse to drink than whether she was within the proprieties in permitting her shoe to be used as a loving cup. However, California has matched Maryland in the matter of a maid's daring and more than matched the Southern State in a man's stubbornness.

The other day the life-saving crew which has a station on the ocean beach at the end of Golden Gate Park had the usual yearly drill and put their boat through the breakers.

Right here I'd like to expose the practically absolute uselessness of that life-saving crew stationed where it is and with the apparatus at its command.

It occasionally makes a pretty picture when the day is fair and the waves are rolling low. But on any ordinary occasion of stress, that boat and crew are there on the beach to remain.

The fact is that a boat cannot be launched in anything like stormy weather, or on an occasion when the waves are rolling ordinarily high. I once had an experience to prove this.

At the time when the Examiner sent Allen Kelly and H. R. Haxton to rescue a shipwrecked fisherman from a rock (Continued on page 2.)

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT IS TOURING THROUGH THE NEW ENGLAND CITIES.

Workingmen Are Pleased With the Executive—He Tells of the Condition of the County—Well Received by the People.

WILLIAMANTIC, Conn., Aug. 23.—President Roosevelt, after spending the night at the home of John T. Robinson at Hartford today resumed his journey through New England. The train left that city promptly at 8 o'clock, but the early hour set for his departure did not deter the people from turning out in force and giving him a hearty send-off.

As he drove up to the station in an open carriage accompanied by Senator Platt, the crowd cheered and the President responded by raising his hat. The floral horse-show presented to the President by the workmen of Hartford yesterday was by his request placed on the engine. All along the line the small towns turned out their entire population, each apparently anxious to share in the welcome.

PRESIDENT TALKS. When Williamantic was reached, the President was driven to the public square, where he delivered an address from his carriage. Following are the President's remarks:

"Mr. Mayor and You, My Fellow Citizens—I thank you for the greeting you have given me and for the chance of seeing you this morning. I have enjoyed passing through your beautiful State. I welcome the opportunity of meeting you and your representatives."

AN ADVANTAGE. "I think it an advantage to all of us who are trying to put your wishes in national legislation and execution when we can come to touch with you personally. I have taken the chance to go now that Congress is not in session and now that there is a holiday at the National Capitol of going through the country to see you, my fellow citizens. I am obliged to you for coming out here. Last night in Hartford I spoke of two or three of the questions which we have now before our people. I shall not try to make any address to you today. This nation has great problems to face, problems in its external

affairs. We can solve them only if with serious purpose we set ourselves to the task alike in the national and state governments, and in the local municipalities and county organizations. We have great problems ahead of us as a nation. They will task our intelligence, but they will task still more what ranks ahead of intelligence—character." (Applause.)

GOOD FOR NATION. "It is a good thing for a nation to demand in its representatives intellect but it is a better thing to demand duty purpose. If when people wax fat in them that sum of qualities which we talk of as character. (Prolonged applause.) If you are dealing with a man in a business way, whether as employer or employee, or in commerce with a store-keeper or with any one, you want him to be a smart man, but it is a mighty bad thing if he is only smart. (Laughter.)

"Isn't that so?" (Cries of "Yes, yes, that's right.")

"Now, what you want in a private

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SIXTY YEARS HIS SENTENCE.

VENTURA JUDGE GIVES A HEAVY SENTENCE TO A MURDERER.

VENTURA, Cal., Aug. 23.—Joseph More, alias Joseph Morse, has been sentenced to San Quentin for sixty years by Judge Williams. Morse pleaded guilty to killing Castilia Ochoa. The crime for which Morse was sentenced was most atrocious. With Castilia Ochoa he spent the day in town two weeks ago, and when they arrived at their cabin on the avenue they were under the influence of liquor. An old quarrel was revived, and

Morse deliberately shot his companion through the breast with an old army carbine.

Ochoa died about a week later.

ACCUSED NEGRO ESCAPES MOB. PORT SCOTT, Kansas, Aug. 23.—Jasper Snoot, the negro boy who assaulted and robbed Mrs. Taylor, an aged woman, in this city on Wednesday, and for whom a mob clattered last night, has been taken to the Crawford county jail and has at least temporarily escaped violence. The jail here was surrounded nearly all night.

DEATH OF AN OLD MAN. MILWAUKEE, Wis., August 23.—Burdette Johnson, aged 76, a prominent soap manufacturer and well known throughout the West, died today after a lingering illness.

GENERAL KNOX RETURNS. WASHINGTON, August 23.—Attorney General Knox returned to the city today from his vacation spent principally at Atlantic City.

WILL EXAMINE THE BODIES IN PARIS.

PARIS, Aug. 23.—The correspondent of the Associated Press learns that the postmortem of the shipment of the remains of Charles L. Fair and Mrs. Fair to Cherbourg on their way to New York is the result of an agreement between the lawyers to hold the bodies here until it is decided whether it is advisable to examine them with the view of ascertaining the exact nature of the injuries which caused death.

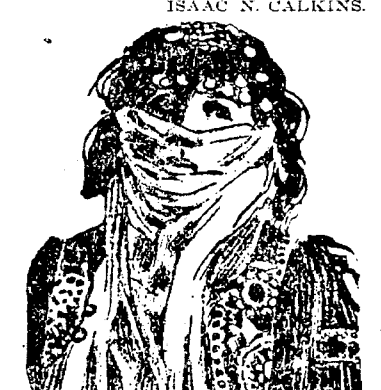
The consent of the late Mr. Fair's family has been cabled for.

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DEMOCRATS MEET IN COUNTY CONVENTION.

Platform Is Adopted by Delegates and Nominations for Office Are Made.

The Democratic County Convention was called to order this morning in Germania Hall at 10:30 o'clock by J. J. McDonald, chairman of the Democratic County Central Committee.

There were only a few people in the lobby, while the gallery was entirely empty.

There were a number of vacancies in the delegations.

DELEGATE CHAIRMAN.

Thomas Huxley placed George Beck of Livermore in nomination for temporary chairman.

Mr. Beck was elected unanimously.

The chairman said he appreciated the honor conferred on him. He was glad to come in from the country and capture the chairmanship so easily. He knew they did not want him to make a speech. He hoped they would get down to business and nominate a good ticket so that no person would be dissatisfied.

Mr. Beck was unanimously elected temporary secretary.

THE COMMITTEES.

J. J. McDonald moved that three committees be appointed, namely on Credentials, Platform and Order of Business, and that each committee consist of seven members, one man from each Assembly District. The motion prevailed.

Basil White suggested that each delegation appoint a chairman and secretary as it would tend to expedite business.

This led to a discussion and hair-splitting motions. White's motion did not authorize the chair to appoint the committees.

It was then moved that the chair appoint only the committee on Credentials, leaving the committees on Platform and Resolutions and Order of Business to be otherwise formed.

This motion prevailed.

A recess of ten minutes was then ordered to enable the delegations to organize and the chair to appoint the Committee on Credentials.

CREDENTIALS.

The convention reconvened and the chair appointed the Committee on Credentials as follows:

Forty-sixth Assembly District—J. E. Collins.

Forty-seventh Assembly District—E. E. Roberts.

Forty-eighth Assembly District—W. E. White.

Forty-ninth Assembly District—W. C. Fletcher.

Fiftieth Assembly District—L. Kehoe.

Fifty-first Assembly District—Dr. H. S. Brown.

Fifty-second Assembly District—A. B. Palmer.

Basil White was made chairman of the committee.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

The following were appointed on the Committee on Order of Business:

Forty-sixth Assembly District—M. J. Kewin.

Forty-seventh Assembly District—T. C. Stoddard.

Forty-eighth Assembly District—C. H. Abbott.

Forty-ninth Assembly District—S. B. McKee.

Fiftieth Assembly District—Horace Wadsworth.

Fifty-first Assembly District—H. E. Hargrove.

Fifty-second Assembly District—H. D. Griffith.

Carl Abbott was made chairman.

PLATFORM.

The following were appointed a committee on Platform and Resolutions:

Forty-sixth Assembly District—T. C. Huxley.

Forty-seventh Assembly District—A. E. Tansley.

Forty-eighth Assembly District—J. E. McElroy.

Forty-ninth Assembly District—Seth Mann.

Fiftieth Assembly District—A. B. Palmer.

Fifty-first Assembly District—J. W. Elwell.

Fifty-second Assembly District—N. C. Caldwell.

Seth Mann was made chairman.

A RECESS.

A recess was taken to enable the committees on Resolutions and Order of Business to prepare their reports.

The convention reconvened at 12:30 o'clock p. m.

Mr. Mann, while of the Credentials Committee, said that his committee was prepared to report and called on Secretary Roberts to read the report.

Mr. Kewin asked if there were any corrections.

Mr. White said there was no contest, so far as he knew.

Kewin then moved that the report be adopted without reading.

Hamilton, of the Credentials Committee, said the convention could not be organized without the reading of the names of the delegates.

The chair ordered the reading of the names of those reported on by the Credentials Committee.

The report was the same, practically as the list of names published in THE TRIBUNE yesterday, and was adopted.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

The committee on Order of Business recommended that the temporary organization be made permanent. The order of business was recommended as follows: Any fragment of a County Central Committee to consist of three members from each Assembly District to be selected by each delegation; a motion to be made as follows: Three Superior Judges, Sheriff, County

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cock, Thomas Scott and E. M. Gibson.

Secretary Bachrach moved that these nominees be voted on separately.

The chair said there was no objection that would be the order.

Objection was made. A vote was taken. It was indefinite. A division was ordered. The motion of Mr. Bachrach prevailed.

He held that to endorse any other than Democratic candidates would be to relegate the Democratic party to the tail of the political parties and would affect the State ticket.

R. M. Fitzgerald said he had not believed in fusion, but he had told Union labor men that if they would leave a few vacancies on their ticket the Democrats would probably fill them. He did not think that anything was to be gained by attacking the present county government. He thought the resolution ill-considered and too strong. It was unnecessary to slap the labor ticket or to slur their fellow Republicans. Let them put up gentlemen from top to bottom because they had them, and let them keep their organization intact, and he said that with the greatest respect for the good men whom he knew had been nominated on the labor ticket.

The speaker said, referring to charges made against himself in the papers regarding the intention of the convention, that they were without any foundation in fact.

Dr. Anderson said there was no necessity for a third party, therefore there was no need for a fusion party.

A delegate asked if Mr. Fitzgerald's intention was to nominate or endorse the three candidates mentioned.

Mr. Fitzgerald said his purpose was to have those men endorsed because they had already been nominated by the Labor Party.

Hamilton wanted them to be nominated, as there was no resolution adopted on endorsement.

W. B. White said these men had already been nominated by the Labor Party. To nominate them again would require them to determine under which party they would appear on the ballot. He thought there had been a misunderstanding in the matter.

Hamilton talked in favor of non-nomination.

J. E. McElroy then moved that Glasgow's name be endorsed by the convention.

The motion was carried, only three or four votes being in the negative.

Hamilton said that the endorsement of Thomas Scott of Livermore, Superior Judge, was endorsed by all save one delegate.

Luttrell also presented the name of E. M. Gibson.

E. J. Erickson said he had been a delegate to Democratic conventions for twenty-six years and during that time he had been a jumping-jack. When Gibson was a Judge he was a tool of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company. If this man was endorsed by the Democrats, why didn't they endorse the nomination of Judge Greene?

Dr. Anderson said he would like to know whether or not Judge Gibson was a Democrat, a Republican or a Populist.

CARBAGE ORDINANCE IS DECLARED VALID

Attorneys George Reed and Clinton Dodge this morning occupied the attention of Judge Melvin arguing the invalidity of the ordinance relative to garbage, in the interest of their client, J. R. Ratto, one of the arrested garbage men.

When the proceedings opened, Assistant District Attorney Samuel stated he was not prepared to argue the case as he had been away from the city and had not sufficient time to inform himself on the subject.

Prosecuting Attorney Leach of the Police Court was sent for and represented the people.

Judge Melvin this afternoon held that the ordinance is valid.

BIG RUN BY THE O. H. S.

This morning the track athletes of the O. H. S. held the first cross-country of the season, over their regular seven-mile course.

Three and one-half miles was the actual running distance, as the remaining three and one-half were walked.

No attempt was made at a race, an even, slow pace was maintained throughout, the distance being covered in 23:01 3-5.

Captain Coyne was well pleased with the showing made by his men and especially commends the work of George Land who ran in last season's four-mile cross-country team which was defeated by the Olympic cracks by eight seconds. His work shows a most marked improvement over last term. Today he finished easily, well up with the bunch.

Land is the man whom Reg Clifford of U. C. only succeeded in beating by 30 yards in a four-mile run after Land had taken the pace for three and a half miles.

Copper ran well up with the leaders and intends to make a big bid for the mile in the coming fall days. If he succeeds in being able to take advice from his coach and follow the rule, he will in all probability make good, although he has a hard man in De Munnell of Lowell High. Fred Koch's protege.

If all the men are in condition in time for the Bay Counties meet a trip will be taken to Santa Rosa.

No definite time has been set for the Bay Counties meet but President Norton has called a meeting for August 30 at the Y. M. C. A. Hall where the time and place will be set.

MERRY TIMES AMONG DEMOCRATS

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under Point Bonta I was employed on that paper and was sent with Andrew M. Lawrence to stir up the life-saving crew.

It was a dark night and the conditions were very bad. We were sent to the beach to look for the life-saving crew. They were not there. We were sent to the beach to look for the life-saving crew. They were not there. We were sent to the beach to look for the life-saving crew. They were not there.

BARBAGALTA NOT GUILTY.

Frank Barbagalta was acquitted late yesterday afternoon by a jury on the charge of grand larceny over \$100.

As a defense the defendant placed in evidence a bill of sale to a buggy he was alleged to have stolen.

The jury was out ten minutes.

THE EUREKA STATE COMPANY.

The Eureka State Company commenced suit today against Joseph Saxton and others to recover \$500 alleged to be due for putting a slate roof on Saxton's home in Berkeley.

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TESTIMONY IN THE GAGE LABEL CASE.

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Witness stated, also made several sets of harness, which Gage saw packed for shipment. He did not see the marking on the packages, designating its destination, however.

Henry A. Emble, foreman of the prison carpenter shop, was recalled and stated that he had supervised the manufacture of a dozen or more taborettes, eight of which went to McDougall, they being made under his orders.

Witness was shown an account book and identifying it as one which had been in his possession for more than four months, was asked to point to the account of Joe Aguirre. This account shows that tables, lounges, chairs and other pieces of furniture had been furnished to Aguirre at small prices.

Turkish chairs being sold to Aguirre for \$22; tables inlaid with mother of pearl and expensive woods going at \$4.25.

There was no account against Mr. McDougall, Emble explaining that McDougall furnished his own materials and was therefore not charged with the lumber and fittings required. To make the furniture ordered by him.

Asked if he had ever seen either Warden Aguirre, his brother Joe, or Governor Gage in the prison carpenter shop, Emble replied that Joe Aguirre had been there three or four times and that Warden Aguirre had passed through the shop on his way to execution, and that he had never seen Governor Gage there.

Here Colonel Preston took up the examination of the witness, being more familiar with the book-keeping methods of the prison than Emble.

Emble stated that no particular care was taken with the books; that they were allowed to lie around his desk and that any person might have made entries in them during his absence from his office without his knowledge.

The case will go on again Monday morning.

COL. JAMES FRAME.

A Popular Gentleman Who Is An Expert in the Coal Business.

Colonel James Frame, one of the best known coal experts in the country, and who is actively and favorably known in the position of manager hereabouts for the Tesla Coal Company, which he formerly sold up to a few months ago, when Mr. Frame resigned to attend to some business of a private nature.

The Tesla Coal Company, or any other coal company, securing the valuable services of Colonel Frame, obtains a man who is not only an expert in his line but a thorough and courteous gentleman who has made a legion of friends by his able and genial manner, and his presence lends much to the success of any business he may be connected with.

The Tesla people are in the coal business in the city of Berkeley and in the vicinity of Berkeley, and are meeting with the usual success that he attains in all of his ventures.

SMALL FENCE FIRE.

The fire department was called out this afternoon to extinguish a small fence fire in the vicinity of Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets. Little damage was done.

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DUMPING THE GARBAGE.

The garbage will not be dumped at Bay Farm Island as at first suggested. It will be dumped outside the heads. The refuse is now being unloaded on barges.

E. J. Squires, a carpenter living at 1815 Twenty-fifth street, has reported to the police authorities that some time last night his carpenter tools stored in a flat near Tenth and Adeline streets, had been stolen. The tools are valued at \$25.

PIANOS!!

Big Alteration Sale

The Wiley B. Allen Co. is enlarging its piano warerooms at Ninth and Broadway, having leased the adjoining premises, and will combine two stores into one. The Wiley B. Allen Co., whose headquarters are now at 931-933 Market Street, San Francisco, opened up their Oakland branch a little over one year ago, and since then their business has grown so rapidly that they now find it necessary to enlarge their floor space, and when the new, large store is completed and fitted up, Oakland will have a music establishment that she can well feel proud of.

In the meantime prices on all our pianos will be greatly reduced. We need the room for carpenters now and not for pianos. We have decided to reduce the prices so as to sell off our present stock rapidly and avoid the necessity of renting a new storeroom and be put to the extra expense of moving them to and fro. A great many have already taken advantage of the prices we are now quoting during the "Alteration Sale." It is only since the Wiley B. Allen Co.'s advent into Oakland that prices on pianos have been reduced within the reach of everybody in moderate circumstances. Controlling a territory embracing seven States along the Pacific Coast, shipping hundreds of pianos in carload lots to the different stores employing a large army of salesmen, enables us to buy in large quantities and to sell accordingly. This you cannot expect to do through the medium of dealers who secure pianos from San Francisco and who endeavor to sell them in Oakland on a "commission basis." When you come to us you avoid the middleman's profit, as our shipments come direct to Oakland from the factories. We are Coast Agents for twenty-one different makes. We carry the largest variety of high-grade pianos than all the other Oakland stores combined. This means that we buy or sell is fully guaranteed by responsible manufacturers as well as ourselves.

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During the past year the Wiley B. Allen Co. has received at its Oakland store, direct from many famous piano makers, more pianos than all the other Oakland stores combined. This means that we are doing the business, and there are "big reasons" why we are doing it. Call on us promptly and investigate for yourself while this "Alteration Sale" is going on.

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BET SHE WOULD MARRY AND WON

Birdie Ruth Wilson yesterday afternoon became the bride of George Ray Tucker, although on the preceding evening she was the fiancée of another. The wedding was hastened by a wager in which the young woman was one of the better.

The lover of Thursday, and she, however, had a quarrel that evening and both parted in anger. Yesterday morning the young man telephoned to the young woman and asked her if she had forgotten the response. She replied that she had not and that she was going out riding with two men to enjoy herself. She took the ride. One of her companions was Tucker. The other made a bet of two dollars with her that she did not dare to marry Tucker. She became the stakeholder, used the money to buy a marriage license with and then went with Tucker to Justice Lane's office, where she accepted Tucker as her spouse. The newly-made husband is a fireman on the Santa Fe road.

JOSEPH DIERES' ESTATE.

H. R. Holden, W. F. Kroll and A. Hollywood, have been appointed to appraise the estate of Joseph P. Dieres.

WON BASEBALL GAME.

The "Young Oaklanders" defeated the nine from the Franklin School today by a score of 18 to 12.

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Dr. E. L. Dow, Dentist.

Has removed his offices from the Central Bank building to the corner of Twelfth and Washington, over Smith Bros' shoe store.

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KIRGAN—In this city, August 17, 1902, to the wife of Dr. H. S. Kirgan, a daughter.

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On account of removal of owner I shall sell about 600 yards body Brussels and Axminster parlor, dining room, stair and bedroom carpets, in very good condition, the parlor set, seven pieces, very handsome bedroom suit with spring and hair mattresses, ebony mirror, engravings, two handsome bookcases, mahogany three-quarter folding bed, very elegant steel engravings, but racks, square piano, lounges, etc., etc.

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DIED.

BARRACLOUGH—In this city, at his late residence on Hillside avenue, Piedmont, on August 22, 1902, John T. Barracough, aged 45 years, 11 months and 11 days.

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MAC DOWELL AND MISS STONE AT THE DEWEY IN CLEOPATRA

**Bob Fitzsimmons at Macdonough Next Saturday and Sunday--
Henry Miller Follows In The Only
Way and Heartsease.**

For the past week the Dewey has been packed nightly with the finest kind of audiences to witness the wonderful production of "La Tosca" by the Stevens Stock Company with Melbourne MacDowell in the role of Baron Scarpia and Miss Florence Stone in the character of La Tosca. So eager have people been to witness the performance that the seats on either side of the orchestra, practically under the corner of the stage have been occupied.

There was good reason for this because no finer acting than was witnessed in the production of this piece has ever been seen in this city. This is as true of the Stevens Stock Company as it is of the stars. "La Tosca" was produced with a stage-setting than which nothing better could have been devised. The scenery was on a scale of magnificence which was not equaled when the same play was produced here by the great New York Company which first brought the piece to this coast. The innate villainy of Baron Scarpia was shown in a marvellously cold-blooded and thrilling manner by Mr. MacDowell while the many-sided creation of La Tosca was played with a winsomeness, a grace and a tragic force which stirred every heart.

Next week Manager Stevens promises the patrons of his house another dramatic treat in the production of "Cleopatra," another of Sardou's masterpieces, in which both Mr. MacDowell, Miss Stone and the full Stevens Company will appear. Miss Stone will be cast as Cleopatra and Mr. MacDowell will be seen in his great character of Antony.

There are few creatures of history who have been made the subject of tragedies as frequently as have been the leading characters in this play, especially that of the heroine.

"Cleopatra" is a brilliant antithesis, a compound of contradictions of all that one must have with what one most admires. The whole character is the triumph of the external over the innate. And yet, like one of her country's heroines, though she presents at first a view a splendid and perplexing anomaly, there is deep meaning and wonderful skill in the enigma, when one comes to analyze and decipher it. What is most astonishing in "Cleopatra" is what has been termed her "consistent inconsistency." In her vanity and the love of power and the excess of love, she predominates, and yet, with these, a hundred others mingle into each other and shift and change and glance away like colors in a peacock's train. There is little doubt that Sardou's "Cleopatra" is the Cleopatra of history. Her mental accomplishments, her unequalled grace, her wit, her irresistible allurements, her bursts of uncontrollable temper, her susceptibility to flattery, heartless cruelty, uncontrollable emotion and deepest despair have all been used into this impersonation of voluptuousness and Oriental sorcery. She dazzles the faculties, bewilders the fancy of her victims from whom they could find no avenue of escape.

The Antony whom Sardou has created is a man who has aroused the deepest passion in Cleopatra and who himself succumbed to her blandishment. Weak and strong by turns, he serves to bring out the varied promptings of Cleopatra's heart. There are, as a consequence, scenes in the play of rapturous, languorous enjoyment which enthrall the senses. These are laid



Melbourne MacDowell Who Appears in Cleopatra at Dewey all Next Week.

amidst luxurious surroundings which delight the eye and in preparation of which Manager Stevens has expended a great deal of money. The stage-setting is more exacting than that of any other play, especially in a whirlwind scene where Cleopatra, in a transport of rage, as sorceress of the Nile, causes an elemental disturbance of unequalled severity to confound and overwhelm the man who leaves her.

The climax of the acting is reached in the death of the queen, when she could command others to die in her presence, faces death herself and shudderingly watches the self-imposed adduction upon her bosom to inject into her veins his fatal draught.

This is the attraction which the patrons of the Dewey will enjoy all next week.

TWO FINE OPERAS

AT TIVOLI THEATER.

For the fifth week of the grand opera season, the Tivoli will present a great double bill. "Il Trovatore" will be sung

on Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday nights, and "La Boheme" on the alternate nights, and at the Saturday matinee, Ines de Erte will have the role of the heroine, Leonarda in "Trovatore," which is one of the prima donna's finest assignments. Colonnelli is cast for the part of Azucena, which she sang last year with great success. Pierre Venerandi is to be the Manrico of the cast, which he should sing in fine style. De Padova is doing for the role of the Count di Luna, one of the famous baritone's best opportunities. Anna Wilson is to be Ines.

"TAMING OF THE SHREW"
AT ALCAZAR THEATER.

Florence Roberts is repeating her great success of last year as Peggy in "The Country Girl." It is a delightful piece of acting which is nightly enjoyed by audiences as large as the Alcazar can accommodate. Monday evening Shakespeare's comedy, "The Taming of the Shrew," will be revived with Miss Roberts as Katherine, a role in which she has long been famous. She will be supported by White Whittelsey as Petruchio, Lucius Henderson will make his first Grand Opera House appearance, and has just returned from a successful season in the East will reappear as Curtis.

DENIS O'SULLIVAN AT
GRAND OPERA HOUSE.

Great interest has been created by the announcement made by the management of the Grand Opera House that the San Francisco favorite, Denis O'Sullivan has been specially engaged for a season of three weeks, beginning on August 25th. The plays selected for the engagement are the popular Irish dramas of Dion Boucicault. "No actor is better fitted to portray Irish characters than Denis O'Sullivan. He is every inch the big-hearted Shaun that Boucicault created. No other plays are so abundantly equipped with the elements beloved of the Irish people in America as those of Boucicault. The red-coated soldiery, the rugged peasantry, the affectionate tenderness of pathos and richness of humor and, above and beyond all, the undecurrent of soil adoration appeal as no other stage productions ever have the love of native lands. The play for next week will be "Arran Na Pogue." The favorites of last season's company have been retained. A feature of the season of Boucicault plays will be the songs which Mr. O'Sullivan will sing. In "Arran Na Pogue" he will sing "Low Backed Car," "Kitty of the Cows," "The Lough Neagh," "The Wearing of the Green," "Believe Me If All Those Dearest Young Chums," and "The Donovans." The usual popular prices will prevail and there will be matinees Saturday and Sunday.

"WORLD AGAINST HER"
GOES ON AT CENTRAL.

At the Central Theater, all this week.

there has been a packed house nightly which has enjoyed to the utmost, the magnificent presentation of the novel play, "The Honest Blacksmith," in which Robert Fitzsimmons appears in the title role. This piece will be removed tomorrow night, and in its place will be staged, "The World Against Her," which has charmed hosts of people. It is unnecessary to state that the piece will be put on the stage in a manner that will charm everybody.

HENRY MILLER AT THE
MACDONOUGH SEPT. 1 AND 2.

Henry Miller and his superb company direct from the Columbia Theater, San Francisco, will be at the Macdonough Theater Monday and Tuesday, September 1 and 2, presenting "The Only Way" and "Heartsease."

The company supporting Henry Miller during his present engagement at the Columbia Theater, San Francisco, is pronounced to be the most complete and strongest organization which has ever appeared at that theater. Mr. Miller will bring it here in its entirety and will present his great successes, which have been packed the Columbia for weeks.

Mr. Miller is well known to the theater-goers of this city. He is appreciated as one of the finest actors on the stage, and his clientele will be of the finest.

On the 7th, 8th and 9th of next month, Hennessy Le Royde will appear in his national success, "Other People's Money."

The great burlesque "Fiddle Dee Dee," from Fischer's, will open a season, September 14.

ROBERT FITZSIMMONS
COMING TO MACDONOUGH.

Robert Fitzsimmons, the great boxer, supported by Mrs. Robert Fitzsimmons and Bobby Jr., will appear at the Macdonough Theater under the management of Messrs. Burton & Hall next Saturday and Sunday evenings, August 30 and 31, in his own play, "The Honest Blacksmith," which is at present exhausting the immense capacity of the Central Theater, San Francisco. "The Honest Blacksmith" deals with the main incidents in Fitzsimmons' career, and the character which he plays—that of Bob Fitz—is in reality himself. During the performance, he will shoe a horse, in full view of the audience. He will also sing a comic song, spar three rounds, and give an exhibition of physical strength. This latter should be particularly interesting to the gentler sex, who rarely have an opportunity of witnessing this kind of thing with decorum.

Mrs. Robert Fitzsimmons has made a great hit as Mrs. Fitz, the honest blacksmith's wife, which is not to be surprised at, inasmuch as the character which she plays is herself. The handsome and stunning gown which she wears are the theme of feminine admiration. The scenery will be that used at the Central Theater, and the blacksmith shop which stands the first act is an exact reproduction of the one in which Mr. Fitzsimmons worked in Australia. The principal feature of the play will be the famous moving pictures representing the exciting rounds of the Fitzsimmons-Rublin fight. In the third act little Reyna Belasco, the marvelous child dancer, and piece of Marie's, the famous dancer, will appear in one of her dances.

GOSSIP ABOUT
PLAYS, PLAYERS, ETC.

It is announced that Blanche Walsh, who is managed by Waggoner & Kemper the coming season, will be supported by some of the most celebrated players of the present time. The new play, which Mrs. Walsh is now writing for her, and which is founded on Albert's masterpiece "Salambo," is to have a \$20,000 production.

Alisa Craig, who has been engaged by Klav & Erlanger for their revival of "The Liberty Bells," the coming season, is a Baltimore society amateur, who made quite a reputation as a member of the Gaiety Club of this city. She is a daughter of the late Mr. Thomas Craig of Johns Hopkins University.

Miss Wellesley Sterling's new play, "On the Suwannee River," which has been presented by Stair & Nicolai for five seasons past, now has a running mate in a new southern comedy-drama by the same authoress, entitled "In Sunny Tennessee."

Mark Twain and Lee Arthur have finished the first draft of their comic version of Mr. Twain's famous story, "Huckleberry Finn," which Klav & Erlanger will produce in November. It was not known, until the past two weeks, that Mr. Twain had taken any active part in the writing of the play. He entered into the work with great enthusiasm and took much interest in it. It is a very young author with his literary spurs yet to be won.

Miss Blanche Hall, who last season played the title role in "Zaza," and has this season appeared in the leading female role of "Lovers' Lane," has been engaged by Managers Broadhurst and Rogers for their production of "Sweet Clover" next season.

The closing number of the Al G. Field Greater Musical Revue, which opened in 1902-03 will be a distinct novelty, a new spectacular tropical travesty entitled "The King of the Cows," which will open the Philippine Islands, the composer, Louis Vesely. This is a musical satire on the Philippines, in which Field's well known tendency towards elaborate costuming and scenic display will be a feature.

Klav & Erlanger's "Sleeping Beauty and the Beast" company will leave New York for Chicago this week, opening its season at the Illinois Theater Saturday evening, the 30th inst.

Nixon & Zimmerman, the presenters of a majority of the big musical attractions that will be on tour the coming season, have amalgamated two of their organizations this year. The prima donna role has been written up to assume importance so that with their comedians as Boniface, Gilbert and Dot to assist Miss Sylvia a quartet of principals is named that will stamp any organization with excellence.

Adele Rafter, the young contralto who attained considerable fame with the Bostonians, will play the principal boy's role in Klav & Erlanger's coming production of "Mr. Blue Beard," the latest Drury Lane spectacle, which they will stage in January, when their new theater, the New Amsterdam, is completed. Miss Rafter is the daughter of Dr. Rafter, a leading clergyman of Dunkirk, N. Y., and left the church choir for the stage.

Paul Gilmore, who has starred several seasons in dramas of the romantic kind, backed in velvet-plumed hats, and in her cloaks, King's robes and with a clanking sword by his side, should be stimulating to the knowledge of the knowledge of Wyndham, who played Clement Parbury in "The Taming of the Shrew" at his Criterion Theater in London, a run which lasted two seasons and delighted numerous scores of royalty, has had the honor of knighthood conferred upon him. In chance to win the title "Sir," but he can win the applause regard and dollars of the London stage in the same play and part, which is a good enough reward for a level-headed young American.

WILL DEDICATE A CHURCH.

The Fourth Congregational Church of this city will dedicate its new edifice, corner of Thirty-sixth and Grove streets, Sunday, August 24, at 3

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FORMER PASTOR IS GIVEN A RECEPTION BY THE PRESBYTERIANS.

Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Coyle were given a large reception at the First Presbyterian church last night. Dr. Coyle was the former pastor of a church in Denver, but now has charge of a church in Denver.

The rooms were very tastefully decorated in bamboo, palms, lilies and pepper twigs. Refreshments had been prepared and an orchestra engaged. The platform in the parlor was tastefully hidden between festoons of evergreens, potted plants and picked flowers. On the wall and along the sides of the rooms were large palm leaves and branches of bamboo.

Many of the visitors were strangers to the returned couple and a large proportion of those present were introduced for the first time to the popular travelers.

A short program had been prepared consisting of vocal solos and instrumental music. Mrs. Carrie Brown-Dexter and Mr. Rollins rendered songs, the former singing "Love is a Peddler," and the latter the "Creole Love Song."

Dr. Coyle when called upon for a few remarks, replied in a very feeling manner to his admirers. In his old style of delivery, characterized by its peculiar grace and freedom, he said: "Dear friends, I assure you I appreciate this expression of your regard. I feel gratified. This hearty welcome is characteristic of Californians. Nothing can compare with their hospitality east of the Rockies. There is no class of people I care more to work with and talk to than Californians. I am delighted to return and meet those with whom I so many years toiled happily."

"I thank you, pastor, Dr. Baker, for affording me this opportunity to talk with and look upon those I have often thought of."

In memory of our work and your co-operation is a constant inspiration to us. I hope and believe that the congregation of this church will always rally to the aid of the pastor, so that the excellent record of the church will never change."

"I thank you most heartily indeed."

The reception was conducted under the auspices of the Men's League of the church.

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OAKLAND TRIBUNE
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A PAUPERIZED LABOR.
A VERY FRENCHY STORY.

The conditions in the local regions where the strike prevails are a standing indictment of the mine operators. The low wages and the grinding poverty and chronic distress during a period of universal prosperity must be due to some abnormal cause or condition. Hunger and rage as the only reward of hard unremitting toil must inevitably provoke discontent and finally drive men to desperation, who is to blame?

If a man in extremity will not fight against oppressive conditions or oppressive masters, he has sunk to the level of the brute, a being without pride, manhood or patriotism. It is the militant desire to better their condition that has made the Northern Arizonians the dominant forces of civilization. They have gone up in the scale of intelligence and living by dint of the protest—often violent, and sometimes bloody and unreasonable—against whatever held their aspirations in check. The salient Oriental who has been content for four thousand years to take a scanty pittance of rice and a mat for a bed as his fee for hard labor, blows and curses is the antetype of the kind of men who broke the power of kingly despotism at Naseby and Marston Moor and destroyed the feudal aristocracy of France in the Great Revolution, and who wrought reforms throughout Germany by bloody and riotous protests in 1848 against oppressive laws and class exactions.

In the coal regions the pens of the correspondents and the pencils of the artists tell the same tale of squalor and want, of misery, of painful conditions that cry to heaven for rectification and reforms that demand redress—not by the stopping of one class of workmen by another and the destruction of property by frenzied mobs—but by wholesome sane legislation that will prevent the oppression of men of property while preserving the inviolability of the latter.

Something is plainly out of joint when the whole mass of laborers employed in a great and profitable industry in the most prosperous times are toiling in hopeless penury and living little better than cattle. The coal mining industry is yielding vast profits, the demand outstripping production. Yet it is claimed that the mine owners cannot pay better wages. But the miners do not get the small pay that they are supposed to receive.

They are plundered and kept in a perpetual bondage of debt by the infamous company store system. A more ruthless system of despoiling the laborer of his scanty earnings than this same company store was never invented by the avarice and ingenuity of man. The miner lives in a hut rented to him by the company. The rent is apparently small, but it is exorbitant compared to the value of the habitation he occupies. If he wants a more comfortable home or one of his own, he must go elsewhere to find a job. That is easier said than done, for he is never allowed to get enough ahead to move his family. He does not become a fixed freeholder, for he cannot acquire property under the conditions imposed by his employers. He must buy his provisions, tools and other supplies at the company store and pay whatever prices the company sees fit to charge. He is perpetually in debt for food and rent. His leasehold is held at the will of the mine owners, he being compelled to sign away his legal rights when he takes his job.

Is it not correct to characterize such a system as infamous? The average daily wage of the miners in the Schuylkill district is \$1.37 a day, and he has to pay 50 per cent above the market price for everything he buys. By this process of enforced extortion the wage paid is actually 97 cents a day instead of \$1.37. Yet \$1.37 a day means extreme poverty to a family at the present high prices of food and clothing. Now compare this condition of the laborer with the enormous dividends paid by the coal companies. The heartlessness and hopelessness of the situation appeal to the sympathies and sense of justice of the American people.

THE ADVANTAGE OF PARDEE.

It is more than ever apparent that the Republican party of California should go out on the campaign united and harmonious. They can do this by nominating Dr. Pardee for Governor. Advocates from the East state that several Republican Congressmen are likely to be lost in the coal mining regions on account of the strike. That being the case, no chance should be taken of losing any Republican Congressman in California. Put Dr. Pardee at the head of the ticket and the election will virtually be a ratification. Where success and party harmony is sure, wisdom points the way.

Bryan has already qualified his statement that he would not be a candidate. After declaring that no man shall be nominated who did not support the Democratic ticket in 1896 and 1898, he adds that he will not run unless it is deemed necessary to promote the principles for which he stands. There we have it. The Democrats must either take their Bryanism either with or without Bryan.

It is now proposed to combine three of the large banks in New York in one giant institution. Do the trust promoters intend to get all the money in one pot?

LUXURY OF LOUNGING
AT HOME ON SUNDAYS

Why So Many People Stay Away From Church
—Tender Confessions Promise to Become a Literary Rage.

A noted clergyman recently made a statement to the effect that "homes, not saloons, were the real rival of the churches."

The reverend gentleman struck the nail right on the head.

The delight of staying in bed as long as one wants to on Sunday morning is recognized the world over, and breakfast on that particular day is worth dreaming about. It is, usually speaking, the only day of the week which can be enjoyed free from hurry or worry about missing the train or not getting to the office on time. The pleasure of loitering around the family board and skimming the Sunday papers, thereby resting and refreshing body and mind, usually proves too much for the average person's powers of resistance.

Like your Scotchman, the constant church-goer has to be caught young, if ever. Otherwise the lusts of the world are apt to wax strong upon the Sabbath day, and the flesh pots turned to with unusual vigor.

Not so long ago complaint was made concerning the building of churches. It was said that architecturally we had improved our dwellings in recent years, but had failed utterly to evolve new ideas in the erection of houses of worship, and still blindly followed old customs and traditions in our building of churches.

There is more truth than poetry in this statement.

Here in Oakland, not so very many years ago, church-going people were shocked and horrified beyond measure when one of the unorthodox congregations built them a temple for the worship of God and the love of man, and added thereto a wing containing a fully equipped reading room for the studious, two parlors for social intercourse, a fully equipped kitchen and a spacious dining-room.

Yet this same congregation has rapidly forged its way to the head, and today stands in the front rank for all that makes for the good of humanity.

Possibly, if there were more of an atmosphere of welcome about churches generally, pastors wouldn't have to complain so much of empty benches.

Speaking of church matters, Mr. Thornton Mills, eldest son of the Reverend R. Pay Mills, and a recent graduate of the University of California, has accepted the call to Santa Rosa as pastor of the People's Church in that pretty town.

I understand that the following is rather limited as to numbers, but decidedly to the fore in the matter of brains, which later is pretty apt to hold true of nitarans everywhere.

The departure of Mr. Mills for Santa Rosa leaves the Reverend Mr. Fisher here as incumbent of the College of Religion and Ethics, a post well filled last year by the former gentleman. Mr. Henry Mills is to assume charge of his class of young men.

On Tuesday evening of this week these young gentlemen were formally introduced to their new teacher at a reception held at the residence of the Reverend R. Pay Mills out on the Heights. Piping and whist added to the pleasures of the occasion.

The "Lend a Hand" Club is busy working toward a fair to be held some time in November.

Every Monday afternoon meetings are held alternately at the homes of members, who have already made any number of pretty and useful articles.

It is the purpose of the club to refurnish the "Lend a Hand" room at Fabiola Hospital.

This room has always been considered one of the very prettiest and daintiest there, and it is most commendable on the part of the club to try and keep it so.

Prominent among the members are Miss Potter, who by the way, has received her class.

Music, the Misses Gorrill and Miss Helen Doran, at whose home the last meeting of the club was held.

In all probability, now that the Century Magazine has set the pace with its publication of the "Confessions of a Wife," dozens of other stories in the same line will follow.

It is that sort of thing which always sweeps over the land like a cyclone. We are just beginning to recover from the deluge of "Love Letters" of various kinds and degrees, and now in their stead comes the vanguard of "Confessions."

Others will follow—they're bound to, but how monotonous they will be—like pass in a pod. Now, if a few representative members of the masculine gender could only be induced to screw their courage up to the sticking point, and write "Confessions of a Husband," what spicy bits of experience and food for reflection would they furnish the reading public.

Never before in the history of the Oakland High School have so many pupils wanted to take up drawing.

Eighty-five young applicants for instruction presented themselves in one class at the commencement of the term, and of these, perforce of necessity, some fifty were turned down. All of the drawing classes are larger now than ever before, and Miss Shoemaker, head of the department, has her hands full, from the fact that each pupil expects and receives individual instruction as much as possible.

For certain periods Mr. Gale comes over from the Central School and gives his aid, but even with that assistance more is needed.

Many schools and colleges are paying each year greatly increased attention to this branch of education, in a realization of its important relationship to the applied arts and sciences.

The first number of this term's Aegis made its appearance yesterday. Last year the culture had considerable difficulty in securing contributors, which is rather remarkable among so talented a lot of young people. There seems to be less trouble in obtaining cover designs and drawings than to get stories or even "joshes."

Automobiles have received a temporary set back, owing to the recent accident which befell the Pairs. Of course, it will be only a short period before horseless carriages are in greater favor than ever, for they are certainly too useful to be consigned to oblivion.

The danger lies in their abuse, rather than in their use.

To show the interest recently developed in modes of travel of every sort, prizes to the tune of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars have already been entered, to be awarded in the aeronaut contests slated to take place at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in 1904.

Surface tests on land and water are also to be made, and experiments below the surface.

It is stated on reliable authority that last year in San Francisco alone the sale of cut flowers was exactly ten times greater than during any one previous year.

Plotists certainly have no reason to complain of lack of trade.

By the way, efforts are being made by the department at Washington to push California to the front as a bulb-producing State.

At present Holland furnishes the bulk of the supply, and there is every reason to believe that California could easily excel in that direction.

A limited number of growers have already directed their attention to the raising of bulbs, but wholesalers complain that they can buy the imported ones for less than the home raised product.

BETTY MARTIN.

TWENTY YEARS
OF CHRISTIAN
ENDEAVOR WORK

ANNIVERSARY OF THE PIONEER SOCIETY, CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

On Sunday, August 24th, the First Congregational Christian Endeavor Society of Oakland, will celebrate its twentieth anniversary. This is the pioneer Christian Endeavor Society on the Pacific Coast, and was founded by Rev. J. K. McLean of the First Congregational Church for over twenty years.

All of the ex-presidents of the society that are within reach will participate in the program Sunday evening. Rev. J. K. McLean will preside. Among the speakers will be C. Z. Merritt, Will W. Barnard, Arthur Moore, Alexander T. Stewart, Miss Harriet G. Merriam, R. M. Brown, Rev. E. S. Williams, James B. Merriam, Frank A. Leach and Miss Grace M. Fisher, all of whom have served as president. An interesting feature of the program will be the music by a male quartet, composed of ex-presidents Messrs Merritt, Stewart, Moore, and Kincaid.

The meeting will be held in the Chapel at 6 p. m. and all are cordially invited to attend.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Emmanuel Presbyterian Church of Alameda, held its semi-annual election of officers, August 10th, with the following result: President, John Steedman; vice-president, Miss May Wintler; secretary, Herbert Notting; treasurer, Miss Frank Bigley; correspondent secretary, Lewis Foskett.

On Friday evening, August 15th, a ping-pong social was given by this same society in the parlors of the church. Invitations were mailed to many living in the vicinity who did not belong to the society and the result was a large party of strangers who enjoyed the evening in the warmth of Christian Endeavor fellowship.

The next county convention will be held at the Fourth Congregational Church, Oakland, the date to be decided later.

The Endeavorers of Pilgrim Congregational Society, Alameda, enjoyed a social on the 15th inst. A short program was enjoyed and water melons were served for refreshments.

Those who attended the recent county convention of the Christian Endeavorers in San Leandro, will recall with pleasure the interesting and enthusiastic address given by Miss Anna G. Frazer, the state superintendent of the Tenth Legion.

Miss Frazer carried a kodak with her to the convention, but forgot it when she went home. Any information regarding the same will be gladly received by the chairman of the Press committee or Miss Frazer, who can be addressed at 58 Willow street, San Jose.

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BOSTON, Aug. 23.—The new battleship Maine left her anchorage in the President Roads about 7:30 o'clock this morning for her trial trip over the Government course off Cape Ann.

ANOTHER TEST OF FIRE ENGINE REPAIRS.

Once again will Emrick's engine be brought forth from its dusty storeroom in the rear of Engine House No. 1, and submitted to a test at the hands of Chief Engineer Galt. To this test the members of the City Council and other interested city officials will be invited. For several days past a couple of workmen have been employed upon the machine making changes in its internal arrangement and supplying missing features. When this work ceases, the test will be made.

ARRIVALS AT SPRINGS.

Recent arrivals at Seiger Springs from Oakland are as follows:
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Tennyson's stirring lines descriptive of the charge of the Gallant Six Hundred on the Russian guns at Balaklava have become a classic, and embalms a gallant deed heroically performed. In the arena of the Wild West, Colonel Cody's Four Hundred Horsemen make a powerful charge, but it is easy to see that on occasion, these Rough Riders of the World would be as ready to charge an enemy's artillery as were Lord Cardigan's fearless men. The United States Cavalrymen who come from barracks and field have but their full share of active duty on the Western plains, in Porto Rico, Cuba and the Philippine Islands. The German Cuirassiers have flashed and fished their sabres in the grand manoeuvres. Some of the Cossacks accompanied the impetuous Skobloff when he crossed the Balkan mountains. Among the Vaqueiros are veterans who assisted in driving Maximilian and the French out of Mexico. Each of the red warriors has earned his title and war bonnet among rolling hills and prairies or in the deep shadows of the Rocky Mountains. Baden-Powell's troopers and the Colonial Horse won medals for valor in the South African veldt. The Cubans fought Spain for ten long weary years. The Roosevelt Rough Riders made a world-wide fame at Siboney and the Juan Hill. The Bedouins are from the desert where they still dispute possession of Algeria with the French. The cowboys are hardened by danger and skirmish. In fact the entire Congress of Rough Riders have graduated from the school of war as practiced by all the nations of the earth. It is well to remember this fact, for though they ride gracefully in the Wild West arena they are men who have ridden under fire. Colonel Cody himself a Congressional Medalist, might well call his exhibition a school for the mounted soldier. Buffalo Bill is announced to visit here on September 6.

LUNATIC STEALS A
GIRL FROM HOME

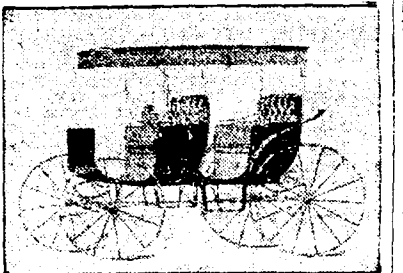
MAON, Ga., Aug. 23.—With a pistol in his hand, James I. Tindall, said to be an escaped lunatic, entered the home of L. A. Roach in Wilkinson county and carried off Agnes Roach, a 15-year-old girl. The kidnapping was accomplished while Roach was absent. Tindall drove away with the girl and so far has not been apprehended.

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Notice of time set for proving will, etc. Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will and codicil of Jacob Helmsch, deceased, and for the issuance of Letters Testamentary to the Trust Company, a corporation, of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 26th day of September, A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for said hearing of said petition and proving said will and codicil, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.
Dated, Aug. 22, 1902.
FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. C. CROOKS, Deputy Clerk.
BOTH & BARNETT, Attorneys for Petitioner, 228 Montgomery St., S. F.

AUDITOR TELLS HOW TO RUN MUNICIPALITY

Uses His Pruning Knife
to Cut Down the
Expenses.

WHAT IT WILL
COST THE PEOPLE.

Auditor A. H. Reed has compiled his estimates for the several departments of the city government for the fiscal year of 1903.

The report shows that it is possible to maintain the various departments, provide for improvements and redeem \$17,700 of the city's outstanding bonded indebtedness on a tax levy of \$1.17. The total amount of the several departments asked for was, including the bond interest, \$1,065,118.20, and of this amount \$249,585.20 was allowed, thus making a difference of \$815,533.00.

The sums asked for by the several departments and the amounts allowed, are as follows:

Assessor, \$7,900, allowed; Auditor, \$5,500, allowed; Board of Public Works, \$2,500, allowed; City Clerk, \$8,500, allowed; City Council, \$26,470. This was allowed with the exception that the \$1,000 asked for the elections was refused.

City Engineer, \$6,000, allowed; City Hall, \$150, slight reduction from amount asked; Fire Department, asked for, \$121,644.10, and the amount was decreased to \$116,300, the principal deduction being for fuel and feed; \$67.50 was allowed this department to purchase lots in Alameda and Golden Gate, the rent to be applied on the purchase price. The estimates of the Fire Department for increased facilities amounting to \$10,470 was cut down to \$7,551, the principal deduction being for new engines and a truck and a bitumen walk. This makes a grand total of \$118,745 to be allowed the Fire Department. The Fire, Police and Telegraph Department was allowed \$12,000, the estimate of improvement of the system being materially reduced. The Public Library was granted \$215,200, nearly the amount asked for and the appropriation for the branch reading rooms being the total up to \$28,000.

The Health Office was allowed \$14,804 as against \$38,504 sent in their estimate. The difference was that \$20,000 for a garbage crematory and \$1,000 for a hospital for contagious diseases, was not allowed. The Justice's Court, \$2,425; Legal Department, \$10,625; License Inspector, \$1,500; Mayor, \$3,250; miscellaneous, \$18,000; Public Pound, \$2,700; Police Court, \$6,441, all allowed as asked for.

Police Department required \$98,422.50 for its several branches and this was cut down to \$55,100. The main deduction was the \$18,000 salary for fifteen additional police officers. This was reduced to \$2,000. The \$100 for a new patrol wagon was granted.

As the money for the School Department really comes from the State and county, their estimate was reduced to meet the money in that fund. The \$200 for steam heaters in the school was not allowed.

The Street Department was granted \$104,950. The sum of \$118,745 was cut down to \$55,100. The street lighting was reduced from \$67,500 to \$65,500.

The remainder of the city officials were allowed the amounts estimated. The sum of \$45,500 was allowed for bond redemption.

It is estimated that the recapitulation of the city's expenses will amount to \$574,176.

The Auditor's estimates will be presented to the City Council for approval.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT IS TOURING.

(Continued From Page 1.)

man with whom you deal is what you want in your business. If you are getting good results with your association with a man in the business world, it will be because that man has got the right stuff in him, has a keen eye for common sense, honesty, decency and courage. And you have got to have the same qualities shown in public life if we are to make this country what it should be—an example to all the nations of mankind. (Loud applause.)

AT PROVIDENCE.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., August 23.—The special train bearing President Roosevelt left this city at 11:40 a. m. The President spoke as follows: "We are passing through a period of great material prosperity, and such a period is as sure as adversity itself to bring utterings of discontent. At a time when most men prosper, somehow it always happens that a few men prosper greatly, and it is as true now as it was when the people were not so well off as they are now, that the good fortune does not come only to the just nor bad fortune only to the unjust. When the weather is good for crops it is also good for weeds. Moreover, not only do the wicked flourish when the times are such that most men flourish, but what is worse, the spirit of envy and jealousy and hatred springs up in the breasts of those who, though they may be doing fairly well themselves, yet see others who are no more deserving doing far better."

WISDOM. "Wise laws and fearless and upright administration of the laws can give the opportunity for such prosperity as we see about us. But this is all that they can do. When the conditions are such that which makes prosperity possible, then each individual must achieve it for himself by his own thrift, intelligence, energy, industry and honest purpose. If when people were not so well off as they have been prone to do since the days of Jeshurun, they will

speedily destroy their own prosperity. If they go into wild speculation and lose their heads they have lost that which no legislation can supply and the business world will suffer. If in a spirit of sudden envy they insist upon pulling down those who have profited most by the years of fatness, they will bury themselves in the crash of commercial disaster. It is difficult to make our material condition better by the best laws, but it is easy enough by bad laws to throw the whole nation into an abyss of misery.

VIRTUES OF PRUDENCE.

"Now the upshot of all this is that it is peculiarly incumbent upon us in a time of such material wealth, both as individuals and as a nation and individually, each in his own account, to show that we possess the virtues of prudence, self-knowledge and self-restraint. In our Government we need above all things stability, safety of economic policy, while remembering that the duty must not be inability to shape our course anew to meet the shifting needs of the people as these needs arise. There are real and great evils in our social and economic life. There is every need of striving in all possible ways, by combinations among ourselves in private life, and through the recognized organs of government, for the cutting out of these evils. Only let us be sure that we do not use the knife of the ignorant zealot which would make it more dangerous to the patient than to the disease."

THE POOR PEOPLE. "It is not true that the poor people have grown poorer, but sons of the rich have grown so very much richer that where multitudes of men are heretofore gathered in the streets and on the sidewalks, the outlook is more violent than formerly. The whole of our people are better off, but the contrast between the rich and the poor is more marked than ever before, and the progress of which we are so proud could not have taken place had it not been for the growth of the industrial centers, such as our commercial and manufacturing cities. But together with the growth of the industrial centers, the life is not so simple as it was, and surely for the individual and the community the life is morally the healthier. There is not in cities the same sense of common underlying brotherhood which is found in country localities, and the lines of social cleavage are far more clearly and clearly marked."

"One of the evils which have attended upon the changed conditions we can at present see no complete remedy for. Others the remedy must come by the action of men themselves in their private capacity whether merely as individuals or by combination with others. For yet others some remedy can be found in executive and legislative action. The national situation is a complicated one, and the complaint against conditions is entirely unwarranted. Under present day conditions it is necessary for the world as it is to have organization among wage-workers. But we have not asked in each case that they shall do good and not harm."

Exactly as labor organizations when managed intelligently and in a spirit of justice and fair play are of very great service, not only to the wage-workers, but to the whole community as the history of many labor organizations has conclusively shown, so wealth, not merely in the hands of individuals, but in the hands of corporations, is not merely a benefit to the community as a whole, but indispensable to the upbuilding of the country under the conditions which at present the country has grown not only to accept, but to demand as normal. This is so obvious that it is almost trifling even to state it, and yet it is a great relief to some of the arguments advanced against and attacks upon wealth, as such, it is a fact worth keeping in mind."

AS TO WEALTH.

"A great fortune, if not used aright, makes its possessor a public enemy. Just as a great intellect does if it is not accompanied by developed conscience, it is a curse to the community. But wealth, if not used aright, is a curse to the community. It is not merely a benefit to the community as a whole, but indispensable to the upbuilding of the country under the conditions which at present the country has grown not only to accept, but to demand as normal. This is so obvious that it is almost trifling even to state it, and yet it is a great relief to some of the arguments advanced against and attacks upon wealth, as such, it is a fact worth keeping in mind."

CAPTAINS OF INDUSTRY.

"Doubtless on the average the most useful man to his fellow citizens is not to be he to whom it has been given what the psalmist prayed for, neither poverty nor riches, but the great captain of industry, the man of wealth, who alone or in combination with his fellows, drives through our great business enterprises, is a factor without which this country could not exist. Good, not harm, normally comes from the piling up of riches through business enterprises. Probably the most serious harm resulting to us, the people of moderate means, is when we harm ourselves by letting the day of power, by the very fact of that power, is capable of doing damage to his neighbors, but we cannot afford to discount the development of such men merely because it is possible they may use their power to wrong ends."

ANOTHER HARM.

"Still there is such harm of a more evident kind, and such harm, it is our duty to endeavor to eradicate if possible, and in any event to minimize. The corporations, and therefore these great corporations, containing the great wealth of the country, have grown to speak of rather loosely as trusts, are the creatures of the State and the State not only has the right to control them, but it has the duty to control them wherever the need for such control is shown. There is clearly a need of supervision—need to exercise the power of regulation in the part of the State, the representatives of the public wherever, as in our own country at the present time, business corporations become so very strong, both for beneficial work and for work that is not always beneficial. It is idle to say that there is no need for such supervision. A sufficient warrant for it is to be found over and over again in any of the various evils resulting from the present system, or their lack of system."

PECULIAR DIFFICULTY.

"There is in our country a peculiar difficulty in the way of exercising such supervision and control. It is a peculiar division of governmental power. When the industrial conditions were simple, very little control was needed and it was caused by the doubt as to where power was lodged under the Constitution. Now the conditions are complicated and we find it difficult to frame national legislation which shall be adequate while as a matter of practical experience, state action has proved entirely insufficient and in all human probabilities cannot be made sufficient to meet the needs of the case. Some of our States have enacted laws, laws which it would be excellent to see enacted by the national Legislature."

WIDE DIFFERENCE.

"But the wide differences in these laws, even between adjacent States and the uncertainty of the power of enforcement result practically in allowing the States to exercise control. I believe that the Nation must assume this power of control by legislation and it becomes evident that the Constitution will not permit needed legislation to be by constitutional amendment. The immediate need in dealing with trusts is to place them under the real, not the nominal, control of some sovereign to which as its creature, the trusts shall owe allegiance and in whose courts the sovereign's orders may with certainty be enforced. There is not the case with the ordinary so-called trust today, for the trust is a large state corporation, generally doing business in other states also, and often with a tendency to monopoly. Such a trust is an artificial creature, not wholly responsible or

LOCAL TALENT WILL ENTERTAIN

FATHER McNALLY ANNOUNCES
PROGRAM FOR WEST OAK
LAND ENTERTAINMENT.

On Monday evening next Father McNally, assisted by some of the best-known and popular talent of Oakland, will give an entertainment in the West Oakland auditorium. The proceeds will go toward assisting in the general cause of educating the American youth. As some of the best comedians around the bay have been secured for the entertainment, the auditorium should be packed to its doors.

Following is the program:

PART I.

- 1 Music—Opening Selections..... St. Joseph's Institute Orchestra
- 2 Address..... Rev. J. E. McNally
- 3 Musical Miscellany—Solos and Eccentricities..... Hugh Emmett
- 4 Butterfly Dance—from Training School of Misses Hilma A. Buttner, Missie Renee Olivieri and..... Mr. Joseph Rosborough
- 5 Song—with accompaniment..... Mr. Joseph Rosborough

PART II.

- 1 Music—"Worship of Our Own Boys"—Orchestra
- 2 Song and Monologue—Comical and Amusing..... Hugh Emmett
- 3 Elfin Art—Dancing—With appropriate melody—Pupil of Miss H. A. Buttner, Missie Hildegard Kunze
- 4 Recitation or Song..... Mr. Lawless
- 5 Song—with compliments of Mr. Peck..... Al Cliff

PART III.

- 1 Music—"Irish Airs"—Orchestra
- 2 Ventriloquism—as performed in the highest circles of society, never before. Royalty itself, by the world renowned Hugh J. Emmett.
- 3 "The Silly Kid"—when Peck was a School Boy..... Old Boss Peck Himself
- 4 Variety—Miscellaneous Funities by the..... Oakland Peck Troupe
- 5 "The Palace of All Fun"—Le Marriage a l'Amour..... Mr. and Madame Peck and Mr. Cliff

Final—Orchestra "Bye, Bye"—Sweet Sleep, Visions of the Evening's Amusing Pleasant Times, Smiles in Face in Sweet Repose, Happy Hearts and Pleasant Faces! Let these be yours, as they usually are the features that grace the personification of the patrons of our lovely and enjoyable entertainments in the Auditorium.

THE WILEY B. ALLEN CO.

One of the largest piano companies in the world is that of the Wiley B. Allen Co., whose instruments are too well known for their superior quality and workmanship to need comment. It is a pleasing fact to note that the attitude of this company towards labor has always been of a most friendly nature, and they have never failed to look with favor upon the principles of unionism. In fact they employ none but union labor in their factory.

The affairs of this company at San Francisco and Oakland are conducted in a most broad-minded and public-spirited manner, and the management is looked upon with the highest respect and esteem.

Labor representatives have always been given most courteous attention at the hands of the Wiley B. Allen Co., and this company has upon many occasions contributed liberally towards the furtherance of our cause. Our members should not hesitate to show their appreciation and give this business their support in every way possible and aid in making it a greater and even more splendid success.—S. F. Union Labor, July 8, 1902.

controllable to any legislature nor wholly subject to the jurisdiction to any one court.

"Some Governmental sovereign must be given full power to regulate the business of the country. When it is given full power then this full power can be used to control any evil influence, the power conferred upon it under the Sherman anti-trust law. Even when the full power has been conferred it would be highly undesirable to attempt to curb it by haphazard legislation. The mechanism of modern business is as delicate and complicated as it is alive and not to be tampered with lightly. To all of us and especially to those least well off in this world's goods, that is, to the poor, it is a matter of life or death, if the meddling was done in a spirit of class or sectional rivalry. It is desirable that the power should be exercised with moderation and that the securing of publicity among all great corporations doing an interstate business should be real and thorough as to all important facts with which the public has concern."

MUST BE GIVEN POWER.

"The Rifles are composed largely of veterans of the United States Army and Navy and the British Army and Navy. The commander, Major Frederick W. D'Evelyn, is a veteran of two campaigns and was severely wounded while serving with the Pretoria Carbineers in the defense of Pretoria in the first Boer war, and while an American citizen, is still a pensioner of the King. The Major is also a leading member of the British-American Union, whose motto is 'Dum Juncti Invincibiles.' He is one of the most popular and capable of the Rifles. Major D'Evelyn will address the audience on the objects of the American-British Rifles. His remarks will be eagerly awaited by the members of the company. A. J. Wilson, Albion Lodge, 'Soldiers of the King,' Dr. A. C. Crawford of St. Andrew's society, 'Akwad Soud,' and the members of 'Company A' cornet variations, Private Williams, Expert Manual of Trms, Sergeant Askin, late U. S. Cavalry, biograph pictures, just imported.

The concluding feature will be sword and bayonet contest between Sergeant Major Reid, late of the British Dragoon, and Private Fisher, late gunner's mate of the U. S. S. Philadelphia.

WILL DEDICATE

THE NEW CHURCH

DEFENDING THE

EASTERN COAST.

ROCFORT, Mass., Aug. 23.—In the

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CONTINENTAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION SHOWING CONDITION ON JUNE 30TH, 1902

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Loans on mortgages	\$1,549,940 43	Dues on shares	\$1,158,765 74
Loans on Association shares	60,450 18	"A," "E," "G," "D.C.," "H"	\$439,221 02
Real Estate	350,377 88	"F"	597,090 79
Members' accounts in arrears	25,011 41	"I"	122,453 93
Furniture and fixtures	1,500 00	Apportioned profits	259,892 84
Sundry advances secured by mortgages	54,651 49	Insurance reserve	37,534 49
Real Estate sold under contract	137,028 87	Death loss accumulations	2,019 07
Sundry Debtors	3,578 51	Dues paid up and prepaid stock	458,688 73
Cash in office and in bank	5,746 64	Class "C"	\$231,800 00
	\$2,197,285 34	Class "D"	173,159 72
		Class "B"	53,724 00
		Advance payment on shares	50,719 87
		"A," "E" and "G"	\$ 8,688 37
		"D. C."	213 45
		"I"	1,642 20
		"F"	40,175 85
		Loans due and incomplete	118,465 62
		All other liabilities—	
		Reserve fund	8,648 92
		Bills payable	35,000 00
		Treasurer's account	9,338 11
		Repayment account of mortgages	41,664 78
		Repayment on real estate contracts	7,032 28
		Sundry creditors	2,032 80
		Dividends prepaid	7,487 09
			\$2,197,285 34

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GUESTS OF SONS OF ST. GEORGE

AMERICAN BRITISH RIFLES TO BE ENTERTAINED TUESDAY NIGHT.

Company A of the American-British Rifles, under the command of Captain Colin Peacock, late of the Astor Battery, U. S. Army, will arrive on the narrow gauge at Seventh and Webster streets, August 26, at 8:10 p. m., from San Francisco. They will be attended by their own band. The line of march will be along Seventh street to Fourteenth street, along Fourteenth street to the headquarters of the Sons of St. George. Arriving there the large hall will be handed over by officers of Albion Lodge to Captain Peacock, who will take charge of the proceedings.

This will be the first visit of a company of the American-British Rifles to Oakland and a rare treat is promised. The Rifles are composed largely of veterans of the United States Army and Navy and the British Army and Navy. The commander, Major Frederick W. D'Evelyn, is a veteran of two campaigns and was severely wounded while serving with the Pretoria Carbineers in the defense of Pretoria in the first Boer war, and while an American citizen, is still a pensioner of the King. The Major is also a leading member of the British-American Union, whose motto is 'Dum Juncti Invincibiles.' He is one of the most popular and capable of the Rifles. Major D'Evelyn will address the audience on the objects of the American-British Rifles. His remarks will be eagerly awaited by the members of the company. A. J. Wilson, Albion Lodge, 'Soldiers of the King,' Dr. A. C. Crawford of St. Andrew's society, 'Akwad Soud,' and the members of 'Company A' cornet variations, Private Williams, Expert Manual of Trms, Sergeant Askin, late U. S. Cavalry, biograph pictures, just imported.

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MEDDLER GOSSIPS ABOUT THE PROMINENT MEMBERS OF SMART SET

Weddings and Receptions Are Recorded in Alameda County During the Week.

LAURA CRELLIN TO WED.

Of course, no one was at all surprised at the engagement of Laura Crellin and Rob Fitzgerald, which was announced on Thursday. As I said some weeks ago, we have all been waiting some time for the announcement, but every one is just as pleased as though they had had no idea of it before, and both of them are receiving loads of congratulations and good wishes. Laura is going East with her parents in a week or two, and as the wedding isn't to take place until about Christmas, she will have lots of time in which to buy all the lovely things she is sure to have in her trousseau, for there are few girls about the bay who know how to gown themselves as beautifully or becomingly as Laura does, or, if they do, they haven't wealthy bankers for fathers. In addition to this, Laura and Rob are very popular with every one, and she has a very high-bred face, and is the only one in the large family to resemble her father. I've always thought she was the second daughter, but it seems that she isn't to take place until about Christmas older than Mona.

HOW MISS LANDERS WILL MARRY

Beyond the bare fact that the marriage of Berenice Landers to Jack Johnston will take place on the seventeenth of next month, the papers have said nothing at all regarding the affair. They must have written themselves out at the time of her engagement, so I'll have to tell you something of the plans. It's to be a very brief affair at Trinity Church, over 1,200 cars having been sent out, many of them to people in the East, so, of course, there won't be as many as that present.

It is to be at high-noon, and the wedding breakfast will be served later to just the bridal party, relatives and intimate friends of the bride, only friends from the younger set, at the house, 2400 Broadway. After the wedding, Berenice will, of course, go South, and the Landers are to give up the Avery-McCarthy house, and take apartments at the fashionable St. Dunstan's on Van Ness avenue. Mabel Landers is to attend her cousin as maid of honor, while Pearl Landers, Carrie Haven, who rarely comes to Oakland now, spending her days between the family ranch in the Sonoma Valley and the Occidental Hotel; Elsa Cook and one other girl, whom Berenice hasn't heard from yet, are to be the four bridesmaids. The girls are now talking over their gowns, the decorations and all the other fascinating details, none of which have yet been positively decided upon.

BLANKART NUPTIALS.

Madeline Blankart has also decided upon her wedding day, or rather night, which is to be on September 18, at the family home in East Oakland. Edith Lang is to be her only attendant, and the wedding will be very small, about 150 friends to come in after the ceremony, when a reception will be held. Mrs. Frederick Funston is only waiting until after the wedding to join her husband in Denver.

EYE FOR THE MAIN CHANCE.

Speaking of Denver, reminds me that all the busybodies who forget that Mrs. Hugh Tevis would be cut by every one in that city, if she ever returned to it, were wrong as usual, because, at this moment, she is one of that city's most active hostesses, and is going everywhere.

She has too much money to be overlooked, and would be taken into society with open arms, in any city she chose to live in. Her sister, Margaret Baxter, who lives with her people, just next door to Mrs. Tevis, has just returned from New York, and most of the affairs being given in Denver just now, are in her honor, the theater party given by Roscoe Trumbull for her, the other evening, having been the latest thing in her honor.

Mrs. Tevis has been giving dinner parties and luncheons, some of them Miss Robertson, who is being entertained a lot there, and the young widow was the guest of honor at a coaching party last week. Several times, lately, she and the Hughes family have met at the same affairs, so it looks as if the enmity of which so much has been said, may not savor altogether of the vendetta, as one has been led to suppose. Ernest Witte, the wealthy young mining man from across the bay, gave a big dinner for Mrs. Tevis, at Denver, some evenings ago, and as he has both eyes out for the main chance, he may be planning something all to himself, in his handsome dark head.

MRS. CUSHMAN TO REST.

Mrs. Olive Reed Cushman and Miss Newman had made all arrangements for a concert to take place at the Unitarian Church, on Thursday evening, the fourth of next month, but, before they had the tickets printed, Mrs. Cushman who, with all her social engagements, concerts and teaching, has been simply rushed to death, decided that she had better take a rest, and so

is going up to Sunol to spend a week or two with friends living there.

OLD SCHOOLMATES GATHER.

Some of the girls and young matrons living here, who were schoolmates at Peralta Hall, out at Berkeley, are thinking of having a reunion on account of Mrs. N. S. Schneider, nee Latham, who was one of the Peralta Hall girls, and is now here from the East, but as yet nothing definite has been decided upon. Nellie Lathrop was Mrs. Hearst's secretary for a long time, and has been visiting Mrs. Hearst at Pleasanton, and is now the guest of Tib Taylor of San Francisco. Mrs. Schneider, who is married to a young doctor at Anacosta, is librarian at the big library founded at Anacosta by Mrs. Hearst. Some of her old schoolmates who are planning to entertain her besides Tib Taylor are Mrs. Henry Nichols, nee Kellogg, Jane Rawlings, Mrs. Edwin Griffiths, nee Harrah, and I was going to say, Mrs. Charlie Parcells, nee Kimball, but Mrs. Schneider will have returned to the East before Mrs. Parcells returns here from New York. Mrs. Sawyer, once of this city and Berkeley, but now of Los Gatos, who was George Handy, and the two Dunn girls of San Francisco, Mrs. Henry F. Dutton and Mrs. Harry Macfarlane of Honolulu.

EARLY DOMESTIC STORMS OVER.

Speaking of Mrs. Harry Macfarlane, reminds me that I heard recently that the Harry Macfarlanes are very prominent socially in Honolulu, and the storms of their early domestic life seem settled. At first, all the Hawaiians thought it odd of Miss Dunn to marry a native, for while the Americans and Englishmen have taken half and quarter-breeds as wives, and even real natives, when they were very rich, Miss Dunn is the first pure white woman to marry one tainted with the native blood.

FOUR ENGLISH BACHELORS.

There is a great deal of talk in England at present about the four most prominent Englishmen being bachelors, the Premier, Mr. Balfour; Lord Milner, Lord Kitchener and the Bishop of London. Three at least have had their romances, have loved and lost. Ever since they were children there has been the tenderest affection between Mr. Balfour and his clever cousin, Lady Gwendolen Cecil, daughter of Lord Salisbury, but the ex-Prime Minister has an abhorrence of the marriage of first cousins, and refused his consent, with the result that poor Lady Gwendolen is still eating out her heart, and her would-be husband lives for politics, Wagner and golf.

Lord Kitchener's intimate friends know that year in and year out he proposes to a charming girl, the daughter of a man who made a fortune out of one of the modern vehicles.

As for the Bishop of London, he is still in line with beautiful Lady Ulrica Duncombe, youngest daughter of Lord Feversham. The date of Dr. Winnington Ingram's marriage to Lady Ulrica was announced, but the pressure of the family of the bride-elect, who objected to the union, was brought to bear. They didn't consider him good enough for her, as he was then only Bishop of Stepney, a very different position from that he now holds. The family triumphed, but spoiled the life of a clever woman and sent the bishop ten times more enthusiastically into his work. If the bishop were to ask Lady Ulrica to marry him tomorrow the family would let her do so, but he will not.

MILLER IS ANGLIN'S SQUIRE.

The reports that Margaret Anglin and Henry Miller are enemies is entirely without foundation. On the contrary, they are the best of friends, and Henry Miller, who used to be the squire of Margaret Dale, is now the cavalier everywhere of Margaret Anglin.

STUDYING MUSIC.

Marguerite Brunsch, who left Alameda last October, and has been studying under the best masters in London ever since, has been in Paris for the past two weeks, and will remain there to study under Bowhey. She is stopping with the Griswolds of this city. Mr. Griswold also being a student of the singing master, Bowhey.

The H. K. Beldens and their friends are getting ready to welcome Dr. Roy Belden, who was married in London during July to Miss Helen Helft of Berlin. Much interest is being taken in the young bride among Dr. Belden's friends here, and they are all prepared to be awfully nice to her.

MISS ABRAHAMSON'S MARRIAGE.

Miss Celia Abrahamson is just about arriving at Honolulu, where she will be married to Abe Gartenberg, who has such a delightful home prepared for her, on the beach at Waikiki. She was accompanied to the Islands by her nephew, Rudolph Coffee, an instructor at Columbia College, and took along a

very elaborate trousseau indeed. The wedding will be celebrated in a very few days, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Erlich, who lives in Honolulu.

MRS. SHARON'S LUNCHEON.

Although several affairs as successful have happened since Mrs. William Sharon's luncheon for Mrs. Laura Ingalls of New York, some days ago, I must say a word or two about it, because I forgot to do so last week. The Ingalls and the Peter Allens are great chums, and the Allens are now occupying the Ingalls' lovely apartments in New York. Mrs. Sharon's luncheon table was all in green and white, and afterwards the guest of honor gave an informal talk on club life in the East, she being a member of several women's and literary clubs. The guests present were Mrs. John Ballard, Mrs. A. D. Sharon, Mrs. Thomas Crellin, Mrs. E. F. Taylor, Mrs. William Letts Oliver, Mrs. Edwin C. Morrison, Mrs. R. W. Gorrell, Mrs. Henry Bratner, Mrs. Florence Wing and Mrs. Harry Farr, who has been stopping at Casa Monata most of the time since the honeymoon trip, but has now taken a charming flat at Oak and Eleventh streets, and is in the midst of moving.

HONORING BRIDES-ELECT.

The big luncheon this week was the first affair given in honor of jolly Kate Chabot, and now that people are getting back to town, there will be many affairs for that tall young bride-elect. Mrs. Moffitt is one of our few hostesses who never goes out of town in the summer anyhow. As my grandmother used to say, Oakland is country enough for anyone. Mrs. Moffitt's table decorations were pink carnations, and those seated about it were, besides Kate and her hostess, Claire Chabot and Mrs. John Henry Diekmann Jr., Mrs. Rob Knight, Mrs. Oscar Long, Mrs. George S. Wheaton, Mrs. Robert Stephenson, Margaret Sinclair, Mamie Barker, Jane Rawlings, Mrs. Ernest Folger, Juliet Garber, Mrs. Ned Howard, Miss Durke, Berenice Landers, Florence Hush, Mrs. Montell Taylor, Mrs. Harry Miller, and, of course, Mrs. George Doubleday, who leaves for New York about the first of the month. Mrs. Robert Stephenson gave her a luncheon, and as yet I haven't heard of anything for Berenice Landers, who is popular enough to be having all sorts of things given for her.

I think we must have spent all our strength and money giving things for Annie Clay Crawford and Jean Hush Wells, who were certainly entertained to the limit during their stay here.

SAILED ON A YACHT.

Jennie and Ethel Crellin, who are visiting Alice Graves of Los Angeles, who spent some weeks with them here last winter, were the guests of honor at a large yachting party and luncheon given by their hostess recently. The affair took place at the summer home of the Graves' at Terminal Island, and the party who went aboard the Paschalita, after luncheon had been served in the house, was a very merry one. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Casey, the latter Katherine Dillon's mother, were among the guests.

FOR REV. AND MRS. COYLE.

The reception given to the Rev. and Mrs. Robert F. Coyle last night, in the parlors of the First Presbyterian Church, was successful in every way. The Coyles, who have been spending some weeks at Catalina Island, are going back to Denver shortly, and have their children, Ruth, Harold and Ray Coyle with them.

There was an orchestra in attendance and the rooms were very nicely decorated by the King's Daughters of the Church.

Mrs. Elizabeth Yorker, who is president of the Ladies' Aid Society, had a number of the church members receiving with her—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carmany, the George Kirks, the William F. Friend, the Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Baker, the H. K. Beldens, the Hugh Craigs, the George D. Grays, Mabel Thayer Gray and Miss Babson. Mrs. George Burdick and Mrs. Cal Ewing had charge of one table, and Mrs. C. W. Hopkins presided over the ices, assisted by Elsie Farnham, Mary McClure, Eva Yorker, Mary and Agnes Fortin and Muriel and Hazel Hughes. Mrs. Sam Gray, who had charge of the lemonade, had Evelyn Craig, Mrs. Robert L. Hill Jr., Louise Belden, Miss Barland, Mrs. E. J. Boyes, Gertrude Halsey and Amy Carder to help her.

Altogether it was a very pleasant affair, and the ladies who worked to make it the success it was feel that they didn't work in vain.

PLAYED CARDS.

Mrs. James G. Allen's card party on Thursday afternoon, for Mrs. Holman, nee Crellin, of Portland, who is visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. Arthur Crellin, was very informal and very jolly, just about twenty having been asked. They played "Sixty-three," Harriet Hall, who has recently returned from the East, and Mrs. Horry Meek, carrying home the prizes.

CLUBS FOR CARDS.

As I said last week, the card clubs are coming to the front again, and Mrs. George Gross entertained the Euchre Club on Wednesday, Mrs. Albert Long

and her sister Belle Nicholson winning the prizes at five-handed euchre.

CUPS AND SAUCERS.

Mrs. George Borneman, who organized the Cup and Saucer Club, will entertain the members at their first meeting this season, which will take place in the first week of September. Pretty cups and saucers are the only prizes given at cards in this club, and some of the members who are rapidly filling their china closets are Mrs. Lucie May Hayes, who is now one of a house-party at the beautiful country home of the George Sperrys; Mrs. Jack Hampton, Mrs. George de Golla, Mrs. Lou Allender, Mrs. E. J. Catton, Mrs. Fred Dallam, Mrs. Richard Bahls, Mrs. J. C. S. Akersley, Mrs. Frank Watson, Mrs. Feiton Taylor, Mrs. Charles Lovell and Mrs. Willie Watt.

LUNCHEON TO A BRIDE-TO-BE.

The event of the week in Oakland society was the large luncheon given in honor of the recently engaged Miss Chabot by Mrs. James Moffitt and Mrs. George Doubleday. The Moffitt and Chabot families have always been the best of friends. Josephine Chabot was maid of honor for Lucy Moffitt, and the Moffitts always spend some time every summer with the Chabots at their lovely place in the Napa Valley. The luncheon was beautifully appointed, with charming decorations and beautiful summer gowns worn by the twenty guests—all of them young matrons or intimate girl friends of the hostesses and the guest of honor. Among the prettiest frocks, to my way of thinking, was that worn by Mrs. Oscar Fitzalan Long. It was a linen made over green embroidered with great bunches of white daisies with yellow centers.

SOCIETY COMING BACK TO TOWN.

Society people are beginning to wander in from summer homes and country jaunts. Mrs. Isaac Requa, Mrs. Mark Requa and Mrs. Oscar F. Long, with the Requa children and the little Longs have returned from a several weeks' stay at Santa Barbara during which they enjoyed much sea-bathing and the many pleasures that Santa Barbara affords. Mrs. Long who is a most graceful and expert swimmer, astonished Santa Barbara by swimming to the end of the wharf. She had strength enough left to climb the ladder and walk in on the wharf. The swimming teacher who tried to follow her gave up and returned without reaching the end of the wharf.

A large party returned from Glen Alpine last week where they had been having a most charming time, enjoying the walks and climbs, and the many delightful excursions of which that charmingly informal Inn is the center. Among the Oaklanders in this party were Miss Annie Miller, Mr. Horace Miller, and Miss Lucy Herrick and Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Stanford of Warm Springs. The Stanfords will shortly go to Santa Barbara for a few weeks.

LENA BRIGHAM AGAIN A BRIDE.

Oaklanders were astonished last week at the appearance of Lena Brigham, prettier by far than when she went away and carrying photographs of a most handsome husband whom she expects will join her here before she leaves. Miss Brigham was Mrs. Fuller when she left Oakland but she is now Mrs. J. Alfred La Forge Horton, and a member of one of the oldest families in New York, both the La Forges and Hortons being exceedingly well known among the early settlers of Manhattan, with summer places at Shelter Island, Long Island Sound, and I don't know where else. Mr. and Mrs. Horton have been married for some time but announcements never reached the Coast and the appearance of the erstwhile Lena Brigham as Mrs. Horton was a great surprise.

Mrs. Horton has a beautiful New York wardrobe and is a guest at the Occidental. She is much plumper than she was when Oakland knew her ten years ago and it is immensely becoming. Her eyes are the same luminous orbs as ever. Mrs. Horton was the adopted daughter of the Brighams and her trip here has something to do with the estate. She has been recently the guest of her blood relatives in Boston. They are most distinguished and delightful people and have quite taken Mrs. Horton into their hearts. The story of her adoption is too long to tell here, but it is quite a romantic tale and involves nothing at all discreditable to either her own or her adopted family. Mrs. Horton will probably be here for some time and will be extensively entertained by her old friends.

There was not a more popular girl in Oakland than Lena Brigham. How well I remember what a stunning Cleopatra she was in the Egyptian room at the Kermess given in the Murray house, now the Lukens house—that charity festival in which all Oakland society participated.

A NEW ORGANIZER FOR THE SUFFAGISTS.

The New Organizer for whose services the women interested in equal suffrage have contributed so liberally, among them Mrs. Howard and Mrs. A. A. Moore, has arrived. She is a Mrs. Stoddard, a literary woman and a newspaper writer and a woman who reminds you somewhat of the charming and gentle personality of Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, the present president and national leader of the Suffragists.

She will begin her work in San Francisco with an afternoon lecture which is in the nature of an introduction at Golden Gate Hall on Monday afternoon but the most of her work will be done throughout the State in the smaller and more distant counties, where no suffrage work has ever been done.

A FERN LUNCHEON.

The latest thing in entertaining notions is a fern luncheon. Ferns should decorate the halls, the parlors and the piazzas. In the table decorations they should be used as a centerpiece and the shades for the candle should be white and fern trimmed. The name cards should be decorated with ferns and the ice course served in fern shades. To the hostess a dozen different ways of carrying out the pretty notion will suggest themselves. As a rule only the idea is necessary to the woman of the world and the rest—the elaboration of the idea—her own fertile brain will suggest. The fern luncheon commends itself, for the excellent reason that fern fronds are easily procured and of trifling expense, while the effect produced is cool and inviting. No combination of color is half so dainty as white and green.

PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATION TAKERS.

An exceedingly "strange story" was told last week by a correspondent of the Westminster Gazette. A friend of the writer had been acting as executor to a gentleman who "had made his fortune by and through the honorable practice of an honorable profession." Certain mysterious entries in the accounts of the deceased led his executor to the discovery that "the testator never had passed his own examination in the profession he had practiced, but that a clever and unscrupulous deputy had gone through the ordeal for him." Not content with whatever price may have been agreed upon at the time for this service, the clever and unscrupulous deputy had made a life annuity out of the job by blackmailing his principal all the rest of his days. The executor adds the still more interesting information, derived from the clever and unscrupulous one himself, that the deceased gentleman was only one of several upon whom he had preyed in the same way. He appears, in short, to be a sort of professional examinee, whose services have been at the disposal of anybody who chose to pay his price. Having passed his examination so often, there can be no doubt that he was qualified to have set up in practice himself; but he has evidently found it more advantageous to keep on passing examinations and live by blackmailing the personated individuals. It is a novel and interesting development of the system of competitive examination. Is it possible that the "ghost" has been at work in more than one profession? I think that the public ought to know a little more definitely where and when the "ghost" has walked. On the other hand, it is interesting to note that the gentleman whose decease led to this discovery had made his fortune by his profession, notwithstanding the deception by which he entered it.

I think this ghost has "walked" in Oakland.

MISS HOBHOUSE TO BE HONORED.

Miss Hobhouse has a valid claim to public recognition for her invaluable services in connection with concentration camps. I have received a very interesting letter from an officer who has had a wide experience of this subject. The writer, being a stranger to Miss Hobhouse, expresses his great admiration of her work. I have always believed that British officers who had personal experience of the camps would be the first to deprecate the contemptible attacks that were made on Miss Hobhouse by the supporters of the government; and it is to the credit of the army that an officer should testify in this way his appreciation of her courage and humanity.

A CHILD WHO IS NOT PRECOCOIOUS.

Usually a precocious child is a perfect nuisance, not so much to its parents as to everyone else. Here's a story of an unprecocious child—dear little stupid—perhaps you'll like it better. I confess I do, for if there's anything that tires me, it's an Angel Child.

Little Jane had been repeatedly reproved for doing violence to the moods and tenses of the verb "to be." She would say, "I be," instead of "I am," and for a time it seemed as if no one could prevent it. Finally, Aunt Kate made a rule not to answer an incorrect question, but to wait until it was corrected.

One day the two sat together, Aunt Kate busy with embroidery, and little Jane over her dolls. Presently the doll-society became tedious, and the child's attention was directed to the embroidery frame.

"Aunt Kate," said she, "please tell me what this is going to be."

But Aunt Kate was counting, and did not answer.

Fatal word "be!" It was her old enemy, and to it alone could the child ascribe the silence that followed.

"Aunt Kate," she persisted, with an honest attempt to correct her mistake, "please tell me what this is going to am."

Aunt Kate sat silently counting,

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though her lip curled with amusement.

Jane sighed, but made another effort: "Will you please tell me what this is going to be?"

Aunt Kate counted on, perhaps this time actuated by a wicked desire to see what would come next.

The little girl gathered her energies for one last and great effort, and said: "Aunt Kate, what am that going to be?"

AT THE BEND.

The Charles S. Wheelers are entertaining very large house parties at their lovely home, "The Bend," near Mount Shasta on the McCloud, which teems with fish this year and the banks of which are so inaccessible except in favored spots. The Wheelers have entertained Benjamin Ide and Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Hearst, and this week next week will have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wheeler, of San Francisco, and Mr. and Mrs. McCann, who will spend part of their honeymoon there. Mr. McCann recently married Miss Claire Sherman. The wedding was not to have taken place until fall but the young people decided to have a very simple ceremony and so hurried it up.

SWELL RECEPTION.

The different chapters of the Alpha Sigma fraternity will have a re-union and reception next Saturday evening at Palm Knoll, the home of Senator Perkins, which promises to be a very swell affair. Seven hundred invitations have been issued.

BRIGHT YOUNG MAN.

F. S. Cottrell, who was graduated from the University of California with the class of '97, and who has since done some notable work in science, when not instructing at Berkeley or the Oakland High School, has been awarded the doctor's degree at the University of Leipzig, Germany, where he has been engaged as an instructor in Chemistry. Professor Ostwald of Leipzig, and one of the greatest chemists in the world, heard of young Cottrell's work and sent for him.

MISS CORDELLA BISHOP.

On Tuesday, Cordella Bishop, who has been spending the past five months at Honolulu with relatives living there, arrived home on the Alameda. On Wednesday her mother, who had come up from their country home in the Santa Cruz Mountains to meet her, whisked her off to Ben Lomond again to stay several weeks. Mr. Bishop went to the Islands to bring Cordella home, and from all accounts, I think no girl from here was ever so extensively entertained at the Island before. Her aunt, Mrs. William Allen, is a very prominent society woman down here, and immediately took her dainty niece to her heart, and to the teas and luncheons of all her friends, who were delighted with the young girl, and proved it in a hundred ways.

TWO ENGAGEMENTS.

Two engagements in which we are interested were announced this week in Alameda: that of Josephine Hughes, who has spent most of her life in Texas, and at Des Moines, Iowa, and is a granddaughter of Lady Charlotte Wright of Brampton, Canada; and that of Mary Pond, a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Pond, whose engagement announcement was made on Thursday, at a tea given by the bride-elect, complimentary to Miss Josephine Herbert of San Jose, who is visiting her. The tea, by the way, was an awfully pretty little affair, with Roberta Clay, Jessie Dodge and others assisting. Mary Pond, who is to wed Edwin L. Jones, formerly of Alameda, but now interested in the management of the big Carls ranch of San Luis Obispo county, is not to be married until the spring, but the wedding of Josephine Hughes and Edward G. Conway will probably be an October affair.

TWO WEDDINGS.

But if there were two engagements of note this week, there were also two weddings to make the social world gay, and they were each entirely different from the other.

Evelyn Bunting, who is a very pretty girl of the blonde type, and once attended Field Seminary here, was married to John W. Chandler of Salt Lake, beneath the two tall sycamore trees standing near the house, at the John A. Bunting's charming place, Sycamore Farm, near Centerville.

From the house to this natural bower ropes of smilax were stretched, white canvas covering the ground. Miss Helen Chandler, in a cream colored gown, was the maid of honor, and walked in front of the two bridesmaids, Miss Grace Huxley and Miss Bertha Whipple, who is one of the prettiest girls I have ever seen. She used to come down from Centerville several times a week to attend the art classes at Mark Hopkins across the bay. The bride wore an imported gown of real lace, with a long tulle veil, and carried lilies of the valley. Robert Braden of Centerville acted as best man. After the ceremony the wedding breakfast was served under the trees, big Japan-

ese umbrellas keeping the sun away, and the bridal party breakfasted indoors, where smilax and white ribbons, yellow and pink blossoms were used in the different rooms. Three or four Oaklanders were there, but the guests were mostly from other places in the county. The Buntings have loads of money, made in oil, I believe, and travel always in their private car.

The other wedding was that of Devina Ione Taylor, eldest daughter of the George Lawton Taylors of Alameda, who came here from Australia some ten years ago, and John McDougall Graham, formerly of Scotland, but now of the Encinal City.

Everything about the wedding was quite English, of course, the bride's little nephew carrying the wedding ring in on a white satin cushion, and all that sort of thing. Jessie Taylor, one of the bride's sisters, acted as maid of honor, wearing white organdie over green satin, and carrying asparagus fern. The bridesmaids, Jeanne and Annie Taylor (two other sisters), and a little niece of the bride, were the maids. They wore white organdie over pink satin, carrying pink and white flowers. The bride's dress was really lovely, white organdie appliqued with Duchess lace and chiffon, the whole over white silk, and her wedding veil was of richly embroidered white silk Brussels net. The ceremony took place under a canopy of green ferns laced together with white ribbons, and quantities of pink and white flowers were used in the other apartments, the arrangement of English and American flags in the supper room being especially effective. The young couple, who are now in the South, have a pretty new home awaiting them in Alameda.

FROM AN ADMIRER.

I have just received such a lovely letter from an admirer that I cannot keep from sharing it with you. I will not give you the name, but here is the letter:

"To the Meddler: I have a request to make of you, rather unconventional, but somehow I thought you would help me. I wonder if you know of any one who wants a companion. If you do would you interest them in my behalf? I am twenty years old—have a high school and business college education. I am extremely fond of reading and music, and am of a buoyant and cheerful disposition.

"I realize I am asking a great deal of you, but if you could only realize how deeply grateful I would be to you, dear Meddler, I think you would help me. I have an invalid mother, whom I long to indulge, and such a hard-working father. My sisters are both younger than myself, so they cannot assist.

"After the favor I have asked of you it may not be in good taste, but I really cannot close without telling you how much I enjoy your brilliant society gossip in THE TRIBUNE. I think a grand future lies before you, and I shall watch your career with interest. I have coaxed mama to take THE TRIBUNE just to read your weekly gossip, because you write so vivaciously and your opinions are so correct. But I must stop, for I am growing enthusiastic (as I usually do when talking of you) for I'm afraid such a busy lady won't have time to read such a long letter. I am enclosing a stamped envelope, hoping you will have time to write a line to me."

ANNUAL RECEPTION.

The annual reception given by the College Young Men's Christian Association to the girls of the incoming freshman class at the University of California on Tuesday, was quite different from the usual affairs of that kind, Stiles Hall having been transformed into a tea house, with all the surroundings thoroughly Oriental.

The girls who served tea and were on the reception committee were all gowned in Chinese costumes, and the musical numbers given were also Chinese, some of the selections being given on instruments from the far East. Over everything and everyone was the soft glow of Chinese lanterns, and the reception was really one of the most unique and pretty affairs ever attended by your friend

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THE CRELLIN CARD PARTY.

Mrs. Arthur Crellin gave a large card party at her home on Jackson street yesterday afternoon. The affair was in honor of her sister, Mrs. Herbert Holman, who is on a visit from Portland, and Miss Jones, who is the guest of Mrs. James G. Allen.

The house was prettily decorated, the reception room in tall asters and greens and the living room in pink tiger lilies, while the dining room carried an artistic adornment of hops festooned on the walls and making a pretty setting for the affair.

A game of "sixty-three" was enjoyed, the prizes being won by Mona Crellin and Mrs. M. V. Kales.

The guest list included Mrs. Harry Adams, Mrs. Frank Adams, Mrs. James G. Allen, Mrs. W. A. Ackert, Mrs. A. W. Bishop, Mrs. E. R. Beck, Mrs. John Beck, Miss Edith Beck, Mrs. R. G. Brown, Miss Florence Brown, Mrs. Bates, Mrs. Lee Cole Burnham, Mrs. J. R. Burnham, Mrs. Frank Brigham, Mrs. Rod Church, Mrs. Will Church, Mrs. Thomas Crellin, Mrs. William Crellin, Miss Mona, and Miss Laura Crellin, Mrs. Emile Chabot, Miss

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C. F. CURRY'S SUCCESS AS SECRETARY OF STATE.

Saved the People Thousands of Dollars, Silenced Critics and Will Surely Be Re-nominated.

Charles F. Curry, Secretary of State, is a candidate for re-nomination on the Republican ticket. He has been endorsed by Republicans in all sections of the State and his candidacy has evoked favorable comment from papers of different political faiths throughout California. Appended are extracts from a number of those journals:

San Luis Obispo Tribune.
The receipts of the Secretary of State's office for the past fiscal year are said to be \$145,881.39; increase over last year, \$32,225.64. This is a good showing for Mr. Curry and speaks louder than words for the honesty and efficiency of this branch of the State government.

Woodland Democrat.
Secretary of State Curry does not seem likely to have any opposition in his own party for a re-nomination. He was the most unpopular man on the ticket when he was a candidate the first time. But his administration has been a good one, and now there are not many Democrats who are violently ambitious to run against him.

Woodland Mail.
Some three years ago when Charles Curry was nominated by the Republicans for Secretary of State the Democratic papers attacked him in a most vicious manner. He was elected nevertheless, and immediately went to work to convince the people that he was grossly misrepresented. To demonstrate how well he has succeeded it is only necessary to state that in all this wide State no one can be found with sufficient temerity to contest with him for the nomination. He has made a remarkable record for efficiency, and at the same time has won friends by the thousands. No man of any importance ever visits Sacramento without meeting and making the acquaintance of "Charley" Curry. He greets all alike, and by his genial, pleasant ways wins the everlasting friendship of all. "Charley" Curry's majority next time will be a record-breaker, mark the prediction.

Redwood City Times-Gazette.
The above article is absolutely true. A more efficient Secretary of State California has never had. Even his political enemies have been silenced by his work, and we trust that he will be re-nominated this fall, when the Republicans are to win another victory.

Los Angeles Herald.
Thus far no opposition to the re-nomination of Secretary of State Charles F. Curry has developed. No serious rival candidate has appeared. The collections of his office have greatly increased during his term. Last year they amounted to \$145,881.39, and this year they will be sufficient to pay all the expenses of the office, the expenses of the State Library, including new books, and the extra appropriation of \$100,000 for the State University.

Martinez Gazette.
Charles F. Curry, Secretary of State, is among the select few State officials who have not a formidable opponent seeking his place. The affairs of his office have been conducted with rare fidelity to the public interest. During his regime the office has been put on a large surplus revenue-producing basis. Not only that, but the public has been treated with a uniform degree of courtesy which is as rare as pleasing. There is no doubt that he will win the nomination hands down, which would be nothing but just recognition of his services to the party and the public.

Sacramento Bee.
The Fourth of July committee has selected Secretary of State Charles F. Curry for president of the day. The choice will give general satisfaction. Mr. Curry is a State officer who has adapted himself most agreeably to Sacramento life, and is looked upon not in the light of a sojourner, but as one of the community. He has been ready at all times to accommodate the Sacramento public, and has been a staunch friend of the street fair movement, advocating at all times the claims of the club in its annual request for the use of portions of the State grounds for the exhibition.

Napa Register.
Charles F. Curry is pretty sure to succeed himself as Secretary of State. No man on the ticket was fought harder by the Democratic press of San Francisco four years ago. Everything was possible to say and do toward prejudging voters of the State against Mr. Curry was done. But he triumphed over his enemies, and by good and

faithful service he has proved himself worthy of the support the people gave him at that time. He is entitled to and should receive a re-nomination by acclamation in the State convention and the hearty endorsement of the people at the polls.

Pasadena News.
Hon. Charles F. Curry has disappointed his enemies and met the expectations of his friends in his able and aggressive management of the affairs of the Secretary of State. His vast experience with men and affairs has made him an invaluable public officer. Cur experience with the Secretary of State's office under Mr. Curry's management has been especially pleasant. He is not only an exceedingly agreeable gentleman, but he understands thoroughly the affairs of his office.

Marysville Democrat.
The foregoing from the pen of Assemblyman Mellick is a deserved compliment, and the Democrat takes pleasure in reproducing it. Charley Curry is a clever gentleman, a competent official, and he is popular with all classes of people who have made his acquaintance or have transacted business at the office of Secretary of State during his incumbency.

Lodi Sentinel.
The Sentinel takes this occasion to extend sincere thanks to Secretary of State C. F. Curry for a set of maps that were received last week.

Charles Curry has made a first-class official. He has attended strictly to his duties, and will undoubtedly have no opposition in his aspiration to again represent the people of the State.

San Mateo Times.
For Secretary of State the present incumbent, C. F. Curry, will seek re-nomination before the Republican State convention at Sacramento in August. Should the gentleman be successful it will be nothing more than he deserves at the hands of the party. Perhaps Mr. Curry has made some enemies during his term of office, and what official has not? It will be admitted that he is thoroughly capable of attending to the various duties involved in detail, and it must also be admitted that C. F. Curry conducts his office as it should be conducted. In plain language he is running the office in the interests of the people rather than to suit a few petty schemers. For this reason he has made some enemies, but the mass of voters are pleased with his actions and will emphasize their preference for him and his methods at the polls next November, should he succeed in capturing the nomination. It is safe to say that the delegates from this county will vote as a unit for his re-nomination for the position he has so ably filled in the past.

Woodland Democrat.
We are indebted to Hon. Charles F. Curry, Secretary of State, for a copy of the map of California issued by the California Paris Exposition Commission. It is the best map of California ever published. We are also under obligation to Mr. Curry for maps showing the subdivisions of the State into railroad, equalization, Congressional, Senatorial and Assembly districts. These maps are very useful for reference and Mr. Curry has certainly done the newspaper fraternity a great kindness by publishing and distributing them.

South San Francisco Enterprise.
The Enterprise takes pleasure in adding its endorsement to that of its contemporaries in favor of California's able and efficient Secretary of State. We trust and believe that the Republicans of this State will seal their approval of Mr. Curry's faithful service with a re-nomination, which means his re-election.

Vacaville Reporter.
One of the strongest candidates on the Republican State ticket this year will be Charles Curry, who will doubtless be re-nominated. When he was first a candidate Mr. Curry was only known in San Francisco, and his nomination was not regarded as a particularly strong one. He made a rattling campaign, however, and landed a winner by a safe majority. It was somewhat of a wonder just how Curry, who had been opposed by bitter San Francisco papers, should have won out against the strength of the opposition. The answer is not difficult to find. Mr. Curry has high administrative capacity, and has shown it in the management of the Secretary of State's office. But he has a quality beyond that, a pleasant personality which makes and keeps friends. In consequence of the success

with which he has managed affairs in the office of the Secretary of State and the wider circles of acquaintanceship which the office he now holds has given him, we regard Charles as one of the strongest of the Republican candidates. He has made a good officer, has won the esteem of his enemies, increased the number of his friends, and is certainly a strong candidate.

Elmhurst Review.
Secretary of State C. F. Curry has favored the Review office with a set of maps that are very convenient to possess, especially during a campaign period. * * * Mr. Curry in the performance of his duties at Sacramento has always been courteous and thoughtful in anticipating the needs of newspaper men.

Reedley Exponent.
We well remember during the political whirl nearly four years ago that Charles F. Curry was pictured as one of the rankest political bushwhackers and one of the worst politicians San Francisco could produce. In fact, he was everything but a gentleman. The truth is he has been a gentleman in office during the whole term and nothing else.

Healdsburg Tribune.
In another column on this page is printed several endorsements of Hon. C. F. Curry for re-nomination as Secretary of State. Mr. Curry certainly has made a record for efficiency during his term in this important office of which he may well be proud, and he is deserving of the reward of a re-nomination by the Republican party. His record is a guarantee that he will lose none of the support accorded him at the last election, and it has also made him many new friends.

Willows Review.
We are in receipt of a copy of the California Election Laws, compiled by Secretary of State C. F. Curry, to whom we return our thanks for same. Mr. Curry is "the noblest Roman of them all." He is very thoughtful and always sends State documents where they will go to the most good and accommodate the greatest number of people. He should receive the re-nomination at the Republican State convention to succeed himself.

Eureka Standard.
The Standard, which four years ago had quite a different opinion of Mr. Curry, is glad to endorse him. As County Clerk of San Francisco Mr. Curry was roundly criticized, and, no doubt, traduced. He had incurred the enmity of some powerful politicians, and the papers were full of the accounts of his alleged shortcomings. He lost heavily in San Francisco, but the large Republican majority saved his election and gave him a chance to demonstrate his worth and ability. Thousands of Republicans have changed their minds in regard to Charley Curry, and the editor of the Standard is one of them. He has been tried in one of the highest offices in the gift of the people and found to be able, faithful and courteous. Let him be re-nominated and re-elected; he merits it.

Long Valley Echo.
Several of the State newspapers have recently been writing commendatory articles about Secretary of State Curry and urging his splendid record as an especial reason for his re-nomination by the Republicans. The writer is tolerably well acquainted with the Secretary, and we know now of no second choice.

Placer County Leader.
Charles F. Curry, the present Secretary of State, will be a candidate for re-nomination before the next Republican State convention. Mr. Curry has earned the right in every sense to ask his party to re-nominate him, and for his competency, his ability in the high capacity he now occupies, the party need go no further in its nomination for this office, as his choice would only be a wise recognition of public service well and faithfully performed, and the selection of one of the best officials who has occupied an office at the State Capitol. We heartily endorse Mr. Curry for the nomination.

Yolo Independent.
During the incumbency of the office of Secretary of State Charles F. Curry has demonstrated that he is the right man in the right place, besides having issued a number of very useful reference books from his office he has just issued two very valuable and interesting maps. He is a worker.

**PASTOR'S WIFE
SEEKS DIVORCE.**
MRS. REV. J. H. DWELLE MAKES
SERIOUS CHARGES AGAINST
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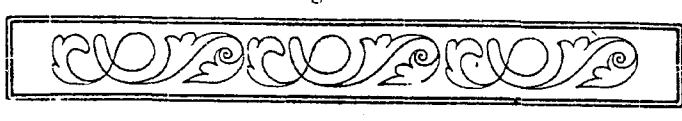
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John Farrell, who was divorced by his wife in 1898, has been cited by Judge Hall to appear in court on September 5 and show cause why he should not be punished for contempt of court for having failed to pay his wife \$10 alimony monthly.

Farrell, according to his former wife's story, has never paid any alimony since the decree of divorce was granted. The alimony in arrears amounts to \$521.64.

Mrs. Farrell in asking the court to assist her in collecting the money due her, recites that she is in indigent circumstances and in poor health.

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LIVELY TIMES AHEAD FOR GUBERNATORIAL CANDIDATES.

Contest for Office Will Be Shifted to Sacramento—What Democrats Are Doing—Candidates For Congress—Political Notes.

BY GEORGE F. HATTON.

(Special to the Tribune.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 23.—To the individual who likes to fathom human interest problems the present political situation is simply delightful: to the candidate whose fate hangs in the balance, no more uneasy seats were ever provided than grace the present occasion—regard the situation how you will, it must be conceded that the Republican State convention approaches under conditions that stamp it the most interesting and most important local party gathering that has been held in a quarter of a century.

The principal question that everyone is awaiting to see answered is which of the gubernatorial aspirants are holding on to gold bricks and which are in possession of the real thing. The other State fights are interesting enough in themselves but they all sink into insignificance as compared with the contest of who shall head the State ticket for, to a large extent every other issue is really hinged on that one basis.

It would be like throwing over old straw to attempt to arrive at any conclusion on the proposition at this time. Day in and day out the subject in all its endless variety has been discussed in print from every conceivable standpoint and as it has resolved itself into a matter of each of the four candidates claiming many of the same votes, no one will really know how the situation stands until a roll-call is made.

Which, by the way, brings to mind a very important issue that will come up at Sacramento on Monday next. The past and in truth the generally accepted idea of a roll call is by counties starting in with Alameda and winding up with Yuba. It is upon this basis that most of the candidates have doubtless figured their strength but to those who have there is a big surprise in store. Instead of the State Convention roll call being by counties it will be by Assembly districts in accordance with the way delegates are apportioned under the State call. Examination of that document will show that it provides that delegates shall be returned on the basis of so many to the first Assembly district and so on and in accordance with this Secretary Carter of the State Central Committee is having the roll call prepared.

Instead of starting out with "Alameda 41 votes" the list will be headed by the First Assembly District of Del Norte, Siskiyou and Trinity and so on until the eightieth or San Diego outside district is reached. What effect this will have upon some of the gubernatorial aspirants is problematical but it looks as if it will shake things up in many quarters. Furthermore it will be a novel proposition for the delegates and it is not unlikely that a fight will be made against it on the floor.

Lively Times Ahead.

From first to last in fact the Convention gives promise of being singularly lively. For the great Gage and anti-Gage fight means the drawing of factional lines that will precipitate a veritable civil war in Republican politics in California. As might be expected each side approaches the set-to claiming victory and as there appears to be no possible way of reaching a compromise the entire issue will doubtless be fought out on the floor of the Convention.

While this is all very unsatisfactory from a Republican point of view there is at least some consolation to be derived from the knowledge that the Democrats are in fully as bad shape. Not alone are they divided by a big factional fight but the way things look now the contest for the nomination will line up the southern part of the State against the north end. If the Democrats had some big State character to trot out this year they might be entitled to consideration but a glance over the list of their available candidates indicates that they have no one to

whom they could all instructively turn. Ex-Governor Budd fills the bill better than any of the others though even in his instance there are obstacles in the form of sore spots created by the dispensation of his patronage. However, four years have rolled by since he bade farewell to Sacramento and in that time much has been forgotten and forgiven. It is by no means certain though that Budd will want to run even if the road is cleared for him, but the \$100,000 fee he received from the Fair estate has smoothed out the way for him and he scarcely fancies the idea of jeopardizing his health again, even for the honors and allurements that go with the Governor's chair.

In the absence of Budd, the northern candidate will evidently be Franklin Lane the present City and County Attorney of San Francisco. Lane has been in training for the fight for the past two years and if given the opportunity he will unquestionably be only too glad to seek the issue at the polls. Although he was originally directly identified with Mayor Phelan, Lane was shrewd enough to detect the Phelan blunders of the time they were being made and he got under cover so fast and so cleverly that he probably would be able at this time to avoid the onslaught that awaits any candidate identified with the ex-leader of the local Democracy.

In Mayor Snyder of Los Angeles, Lane will find a foe who will at least give him a good fight. Snyder has got a remarkable hold upon the southern county, for no matter how Republican the city of Los Angeles may be he can always carry it by a big round majority for the Democrats. Furthermore he has lots of friends in the neighboring counties and as he has been diligently making a gubernatorial canvass for the past year or so he has got his forces in fairly good shape.

Barney Murphy's cause is also in the ring and although the report is going the rounds that his candidacy will simply mean a repetition of the fight of eight years ago, his friends seem inclined to put him to the front and keep him there with Murphy, Snyder and Lane, sure-thing candidates, and Budd a strong possibility. It can be seen therefore that the Democrats are facing fully as hard a proposition as the Republicans.

As to Issues.

Where the G. O. P. has the upper hand by a long way though is as regards issues. Try as they may the Democrats cannot trump up a policy with which to go before the people and this condition of affairs was plainly illustrated when the County Convention met at Fresno this week. As the raising of the issue of the center of the Democratic belt great interest is always attached to a party gathering, there especially so when it immediately precedes a State Convention as is the case now.

After vainly endeavoring to focus a real live issue of their own, those in charge of the platform came in with a report consisting of attacks upon Republican methods though nothing remedial was offered in return. In an attempt to dodge Bryanism the report endorsed the national platforms heretofore adopted by the "party" and thought they could hide safely enough in that way.

But not so. An old line Democrat jumped up and tackled the proposition by saying that the living issues now before the people are expressed in the platform of 1896 when Bryan was nominated and again in 1900 when he was re-nominated. The speaker called attention to the fact that at that time Cleveland and Hill turned tail on the Democratic party and snuffed the nominee for President. He wound up by insisting that the platform refer specifically to the Chicago platform of 1896 and the Kansas City platform of 1900 and his motion carried, thus proving that Bryanism is not dead in California by any means.

In all probability when the Democrats meet in their State gathering a week from now they will have to tackle the same troubles. So from a national standpoint the approaching Democratic Convention will be a mighty interesting one, that is if the Bryan issue is threshed out, as it probably will be.

Safe for Republicans.

No matter how their platforms go though, very few Democrats at heart have any idea of carrying the fall election in California this year. Despite the bitter fight that has been waged in the Republican papers on the gubernatorial issue it is believed that with but one or two possible exceptions they will line up and work together, for so much is at stake this year that factional strife must not interfere with the success of the party ticket.

In addition to a full set of State officers, there is a Chief Justice and two Associate Justices of the Supreme Court in the balance and also the United States Senatorship. As regards the last named issue it is doubly important that the Republicans elect their State Senators, for two years from now a successor to Senator Bard is to be selected and as many hold-over Republican votes as possible must be secured. While the State looks safe enough now and presumably will be so for many years to come, in this epoch of quick action there is no telling what the next six months may bring forth so it is well not to take any chances when there is no occasion to.

There is one more matter to be considered in connection with the coming election. It will be the first test at the polls of the reappointment and although on the face of things the Sacramento legislators gave the Republican party, ninety-five out of the 120 legislative districts precedent shows that some very bad breaks are frequently made when juggling with election figures. However, as there are nineteen Republican hold-over Senators and two more will control that body there need be no possible fear that the working machinery of the State will pass into Democratic hands this year, no matter what happens.

The Congressmen.

The eight Congressional districts also appear to be safe. There has been some fear expressed as to the Sixth District which now falls to the lot of Congressman Needham, the alarmists having gone off half-cocked on the proposition that the district on strict party lines is fully one thousand Democratic. That may be all so but in connection therewith should be taken the vote given to Needham two years ago when he carried Democratic counties all along the line by large majorities. The strength he had then has been vastly increased since and those who have gone over the district of late are satisfied that Needham has a sure thing. The way things look now, the Democratic nominee will be James F. Peck an attorney of Madera whose name figured prominently in the recent Hite-Crocker-Woolworth litigation.

The First District.

In the new First District the wrangle seems to be more intense than ever at the Humboldt end, for although it was generally understood that Selva and Gillette would come together after they had their local fight, there is seemingly no way to unite them and in consequence they will cut each other's throats. F. W. Street of Sonoma has therefore taken advantage of the situation at the lower end of the district and if he can get the mining counties he is a sure winner, for their combined vote controls the convention. Efforts have been again made of late to get Frank S. Sinsky of Calaveras into the fray, but although it is conceded that he would virtually have a walk-over, business reasons are advanced by him as an argument as to why he should not take up the fight. Summing up the situation, therefore, it now looks as if the issue will be decided on a three-cornered fight between Selva, Gillette and Street, and unless the two former come together, the man from Tuolumne will unquestionably win.

In the Eighth.

The new Eighth is even in a more disturbed condition than the First. The fight has narrowed down to a four-cornered one between Nutt of San Diego, Daniels of Riverside, Smith of Kern and Booth of Santa Barbara, for all the other candidates were eliminated at the primaries. At this time it would be impossible to make anything like a correct guess as to the outcome, for each of the three candidates is working in the history of the two others and none of them seem able to substantiate the claims being made in their interests.

If the southern end of the district would stand together, that is to say, the counties the other side of Los Angeles, they could control the situation, but fortunately for Smith and Booth they cannot do so, principally because of local jealousy. For example, San Diego and Orange and Riverside counties never have succeeded in agreeing, especially when a Congressman is under consideration. In Orange and Riverside their principal hope, congressional consideration, is to have a representative at Washington who will put in all of his time on their fruit issues. On the other hand, San Diego cares little for fruit, but a whole lot about the harbor, and their aim is to

have a Congressman who will make his principal fight for their end of it.

With the southern counties at loggerheads Smith therefore hopes to be able to land San Diego and get enough votes from San Bernardino to pull him through and most of his energies are being bent in that direction, though he has to keep a weather eye all the time on the counties in his own immediate district, for Nutt and Daniels are roaming over the district, seeking what they may devour. At present the fight looks like a very close one, and as each of the three presents estimates showing that he has surely won, it is another case of waiting to see which of the aspirants have been fooled.

The Second.

Despite the attempts on the part of the Democratic papers to complicate matters for Congressman Frank Coombs in the Second, he is sure of the nomination and can almost count his political chickens before they are hatched. The district is strongly Republican and all this talk about Sacramento trotting out a candidate is mere nonsense. Coombs has got the field to himself and although the district is one that will always have to be closely watched, it is safe enough this time.

The Sure Winners.

Two of the present representatives can practically consider their certificates of election safe in their pockets, for Metcalf in the Third and McLachlan in the Seventh have got the nearest approach to a walk-over that anything can be. While the Democrats will, of course, put up a couple of candidates against them so as to make a showing, there is "nothing to it" from a voting standpoint for the Republican majorities are so huge as to invite a stay-at-home campaign. As, however, it is not in the nature of Metcalf and McLachlan to do things that way, they are going to shake up their districts as usual and see if they cannot roll up an even more decisive vote than before.

The Fourth.

The Fourth District once more seems at the mercy of Julius Kahn. While Furuseth would probably like the nomination if he could get it he does not fancy the idea of jumping out to make the kind of fight required to retire Kahn from the arena, for, in the first place, it would be a mighty expensive proposition, and furthermore all the time, labor and money might go for naught. Kahn can, in consequence, feel that his anchors are strong enough to hold things down for another couple of years at least—in fact, the prospects of continuous service seem bright to him now. Then, for this labor bugaboo that for a time threatened him ominously is fast fading away. In San Francisco, where the principal union strength is located, it is easy enough to notice a gradual disintegration of the political powers of the workmen, the chief reasons therefore being contained in the movements and declarations of their champion, Mayor Schmitz.

The Fifth.

In the Fifth Congressional District is evidently going to repeat his performance of recent years and gather in the nomination just when the newspapers are saying that there is no possible way for him to get it. If he ever appeared to be in a tight place it was this year, for in Santa Clara county his allies had met defeat and at the San Francisco end the Primary League was apparently lining up a big vote against him.

Loud's customary good fortune is with him still, though. First, the Primary League failed to connect with the votes it expected, and now the news comes up from San Jose that instead of being against him, as was anticipated, the Hayes brothers are for the return of their present representative. Loud looks like a winner again, therefore, despite the protests of the mail carriers and the other fights that have been waged against him.

HATTON.

FRUITVALE TO SEEK A QUEEN.

WILL ENTER A CANDIDATE IN THE PRESENT CONTEST AT ALAMEDA.

FRUITVALE, Aug. 23.—Owing to the recent steps taken by the Fruitvale Improvement Club in proposing to assist in the Alameda Water Carnival, much interest has been aroused in the coming event. Fruitvale will put up a candidate for queen and will boost the carnival in a manner that will surprise the residents of Alameda. The Improvement Club has got behind the proposition with a vim that promises a great showing. The announcement of those who will be placed in the fight for queen from this place will be made as soon as the club can locate a suitable candidate.

THEY WANT TO BE "CONSTABLE." An independent candidate for Constable of Brookline Township has sprung up in the shape of Thomas Carroll, the champion hammer-thrower, who is known as the Brooklyn Giant. Carroll is well known in this district, where he has resided for many years. The other candidates are H. Cramer, the incumbent, who has filled the office in a very creditable manner. Cramer is a Republican nominee.

VISITED MT. TAMALPAIS. Thursday a party of Fruitvale people took a trip to Mt. Tamalpais. The party included Mrs. A. Finkenstedt, Miss Kate Finkenstedt, Mrs. Arthur Stone and George Lund. They spent an enjoyable day.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CRELIAN.—I. Baker, San Jose; S. Pearson, San Francisco; J. J. Williamson, Rock Island; R. G. Hill, Seattle; H. Lorenberg, F. Needham, M. Gibbons, San Francisco.

METROPOLIS.—Mrs. W. L. Jenkins and children, Nevada; O. P. Megahan and wife, Ohio; E. W. C. Finley, San Francisco; Miss Wilson, San Francisco.

GALINDO.—Charles Wilson and wife, Vallejo; Mrs. G. R. Sharp, E. Carew, city.

ALAMEDA LOCAL TRAINS WILL HAVE GATES ON IMMEDIATELY

Machinist Prepare to Exoduse Head Office Great Pile of Coal
Take Part in Labor Day Celebration. Is Complete. Burning at West Oakland Land Yards.

Eighteen thousand tons of coal in the West Oakland yards caught fire yesterday morning through spontaneous combustion, and is still smoldering. This is the second time in the history of the yards that the huge coal piles have been endangered by fire. The pile was discovered early in the morning sending up columns of smoke high into the air. A crew of men immediately set to work fighting the flames as a bucket brigade, but proved inadequate to the task of subduing the fire. It was decided to run a pipe line to the scene of the trouble.

In the previous fire caused by spontaneous combustion, 60,000 tons were endangered. The fire smoldered for over a month, it being impossible to get a sufficient amount of water to dampen the coal so as to make it incombustible. To prevent the pile from being destroyed, the company directed that engines should come from both ends. By this means the fire was contained within a small area.

Agent W. J. Dickinson thinks that with a steady stream of water playing on the burning mass it will be possible to subdue the flames without resorting to the expedient of removing the coal. The supposition is that the heat of the last fire was responsible for the starting of the fire. The fine coal dust sifts through the larger lumps and settles on the bottom. In this condition the dust absorbs a sufficient amount of heat to break forth into a flame.

The spontaneous combustion of coal dust has never been satisfactorily explained, and precautions cannot be taken against it.

ALAMEDA TRAINS WILL HAVE DOUBLE GATES.

The gates which are to be used on the Alameda trains have arrived from the East and the work of putting them on the cars is now being completed. Master Car Repairer Englebright has already issued orders to that effect, and the cars will be taken to the repair shops as rapidly as possible. One of the advantages of the new gates is that they will be sufficient to complete the innovation. All the cities around the bay are now provided with gates.

MERCHANTS PREPARE FOR LABOR CELEBRATIONS.

The Machinists' Union and other employees of the Southern Pacific Company are making great preparations to participate in the Labor Day parade on September 9th.

One of the recent concessions granted to the machinists by the company was declaring that the shops should be closed on that day, as on other holidays. In view of this concession, it is desired by the union that there be a day a memorable one by having all the men in line.

The efforts of the machinists are being aided by the other employees and employees who promise to make the day a gala one, and give Oakland the best Labor Day celebration ever held.

The union sentiment is on the increase in the yards, and thus far has even met with quasi encouragement from the company. While it is not mandatory for the men to belong to the union, it is held a positive duty for machinists who have not cast their lot with the union boys.

The rules which govern the machinists' organization are adapted not only to the men themselves, but to securing the company competent, skilled help. The regulations make it almost impossible for an incompetent mechanic to join the union, and it is much harder to rejoin the union after a serious infraction of its rules.

The example of the willingness of the company to arbitrate differences with the men should have a good effect upon all railroad organizations.

It will be remembered the executive committee of the machinists was accorded most courteous treatment by the company officials when the railroad men's demands were submitted, and that after a friendly discussion of the problems pro and con, the company acceded to several of the demands asked.

This course had a very beneficial effect upon the union, and now it is stronger than ever. The union will turn out as a body on Labor Day.

A NEW STORY ON THE RAILROAD DOG.

An old engineer who long since has graduated to a position of trust in the Southern Pacific Company, grew remiss on the other day and recited an incident connected with his engineering days. The story was brought about by the ringing of a locomotive bell, the sound of which pronounced it a visiting engine. The railroad man's ear becomes so trained that the ring of a bell or the foot of a whistle is sufficient to indicate the engine.

This faculty of identifying the engine by the noise it makes is not peculiarly a human trait, as the following story of the dog of an engineer, concerning his dog, illustrates.

"When I was on one of the runs in the South, I discovered my dog had trained himself to recognize my engine by the whistle and the ringing of the bell. He was always at the depot day or night, to meet me. The moment the engine stopped he was there, putting his two paws on the steps of the cab, waiting for me to come down.

The discovery that the dog could tell my engine by the whistle was made by the night foreman of the roundhouse, and was at the depot awaiting to greet me. The loss of the dog's hurried departure was a mystery to the night foreman. Continued observation of the dog revealed the fact that the moment I sounded the whistle my engine the dog started a moment for the ringing of the bell, and then made a dash for the station.

Fifty trains a day could pull into the depot, but the dog paid no attention to them. As my run was an irregular one in those days, I guess we will have to say that that dog was possessed of intelligence.

"In fact, after I had moved to another town, the dog did the same thing. The neighbors always knew when I arrived, by watching the dog bounding toward the station. That is not all the dog could do, either. But, as Klippig says, his other feats is another story."

PROFITS ROLL INTO THE COMPANY'S COFFERS.

From all over the road comes reports of the prosperous condition of the company. Traffic was never heavier than this year, and President Harriman's first year of control promises to be a record breaker.

The season, from a local standpoint, has been one of continuous activity. The transfer platform is now sending 125 loaded cars per day to eastern markets. The imports at Long Wharf have never shown to a better advantage.

Leaving the exports aside, two commodities, lumber and sugar, will nearly pay the operating expenses of the road. For the year these two imports will aggregate nearly \$20,000,000, if the present rush keeps up.

Last season Hawaii shipped \$6,000,000 worth of sugar. This figure will be doubled this year. Lumber has been coming in at an unprecedented rate, twenty million feet having been handled during the last three months.

The busiest season is yet to come.

PAY CAR LEAVES TRAIL OF GOLD BEHIND.

The pay car happened along to-day and made 2500 employees of the company happy by leaving a lump sum of nearly \$200,000 behind.

The payroll was a little heavier than usual, owing to this being the busy season of the company.

PACIFIC COAST CLUB HOLDS SUCCESSFUL MEETING.

A large number of the railroad men attended the meeting of the Pacific Coast Railroad Club, last Saturday night at the Palace Hotel, in response to Secretary Eorton's invitation.

An interesting paper on the relations and responsibilities of the train and engine crews was read. The usual technical questions were read and answered.

MILLS AND SHIPYARDS CONTINUE TO BE BUSY.

The tug Collins is on the ways at Boole's getting her bottom scraped. After this is completed she will be taken to the Richmond works and have new boilers installed.

The mills have completed turning out the lumber for the Los Angeles roundhouse.

ALL GENERAL OFFICES ARE TAKEN FROM SACRAMENTO.

A. J. Gilson, general car inspector of the Southern Pacific Company, has removed his office from Sacramento to San Francisco. He will take up his residence in Oakland.

The exodus of head officials from Sacramento is now complete. The chief departments are now centralized in San Francisco and the telephone graph tolls between San Francisco will be much decreased.

It was deemed advisable to concentrate all the business of the company in one place. To that end, President Harriman issued orders several months ago for all the head officials that were in Sacramento to take up their quarters in San Francisco.

Sacramento has lost a considerable sum of money by the change. For instance, General Superintendent of Motive Power Small gets a yearly stipend of about \$1,000. (One of the ways paid in proportion. The clerical force of all the general offices was large, amounting to over \$100,000 annually. The net loss in values sustained by Sacramento will approximate \$200,000 annually.

DINERS ARRIVE FROM EAST FOR LOCAL TRAINS.

Another installment of the dining cars

for the local division have arrived from the East and will be immediately used on trains 3 and 4. Trains 1 and 2 are already well equipped, but now the two other overland trains, which heretofore have not had diners attached, will have a full complement from now on.

INTERESTING BRIEVES FROM LONG WHARF.

The week at Long Wharf has been unusually busy in the three staples, sugar, lumber and coal. Twenty vessels are now lying in the stream waiting for their turn at the wharf.

The Marie King, from South America, is discharging a cargo of nitre for the local powder mills.

The French bark Ville de Mulhouse, from Glasgow, has discharged a cargo of coke and pig iron.

The ship Battle Abbey is taking on California sugar pine and barley for European ports.

The steamer Titania has finished discharging a cargo of 6,000 tons of coal from San Pedro.

The oil burning steamer Enterprise has finished discharging a cargo of sugar from Hawaii.

The bark Martha Davis and schooner Olga have also finished discharging.

The Falls of Clyde is now working.

Three million feet of lumber was discharged this week at the wharf. The vessel now working is the Fort-de-Jeu, Thelin, Acme, Brooklyn, Point Arena and Phenix.

PERSONAL MENTION OF THE RAILROAD MEN.

Master Car Repairer H. E. Englebright has been visiting Sacramento this week. Night Roundhouse Foreman Geo. Cay is contemplating a six months' trip to his old home in England.

Fletcher Haskell will leave the employ of the company the first of next month to engage in the real estate business. He will associate himself with a business already established.

Harry Valentine will also leave the employ of the company to take control of his ranching property at Haywards.

Robert Hunter, wife and sister have left for Capitola, where they will remain a month.

A. T. Yorke will spend his vacation at Boulder View, where he has a host of friends.

Niles Seelye, Jr. has gone to Westley, where he will install a water plant. Bold Valette, foreman of the machine shops, was distinguished at the Republican County Convention by being made the champion speaker of the meeting in a thoroughly parliamentary manner.

He was congratulated by his host of friends after the convention, which was certainly a surprise to him.

W. F. Dunn, who has been holding down a keyboard at the West Oakland shops, has been granted a leave of absence and a pass to visit New Orleans.

Foreman Williams of the shop department will leave in two weeks for Salt Lake.

Owing to a break in the turn-table at Sacramento five engines, belonging to this division, were held over, and passenger trains were pulled into Oakland by Sacramento engines.

PERSONAL NOTES FROM DECOTO.

DECOTO, Aug. 23.—Mrs. J. H. Peterson has returned from a visit of several days in San Francisco.

Robert Lowrie of Tucson, Arizona, is the guest of E. Decoto and family.

Miss Christina Anderson of the Children's Hospital, San Francisco, was home Wednesday.

Mrs. Will Anderson entertained her aunt, Mrs. Bealey of Sacramento several days this week.

Pat Kennelly of Oakland was in town Sunday.

C. Runckel and family entertained Ben Federer of Placerville Monday.

Mrs. C. E. Anderson has returned after spending a few days at San Ramon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crane attended the Butting-Chandler wedding at Centerville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kennelly and family moved to Oakland this week. Mr. Kennelly is an old time resident of Decoto, having been section foreman here for thirty years.

Protect valuables while away

Persons leaving the city temporarily can leave with us, a single paper, such as a will, a deed or an insurance policy, cases of silverware, trunks of valuable clothing, costly furs, laces, tapestries or heirlooms, etc. We give storage receipts for them and an absolute guaranty for safe keeping and safe return.

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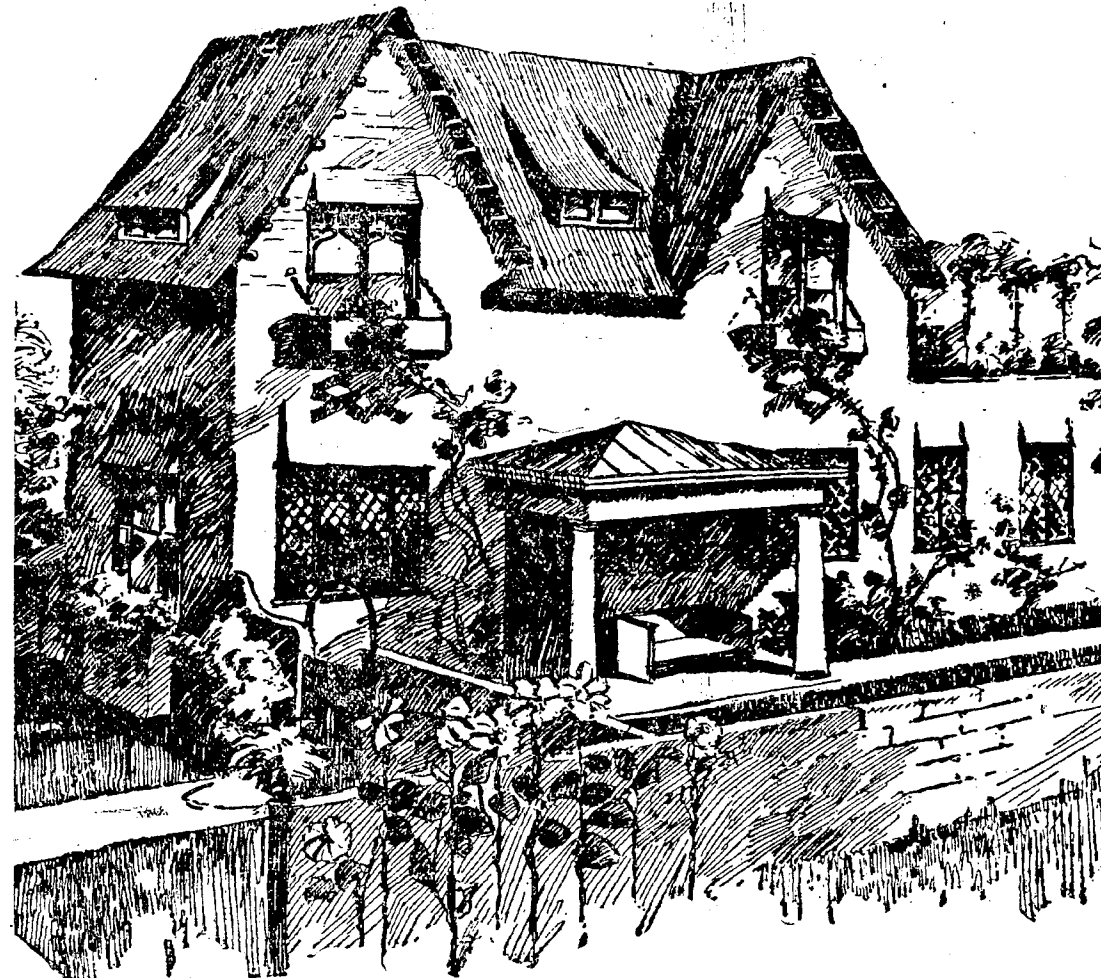
In addition to the opportunity to win one of these premiums, with either of these subscriptions, is offered a choice of one of the handsome artogravures to be given to the first 10,000 whose names are enrolled as subscribers.

To the first subscriber whose estimate comes nearest the correct figure will be awarded the \$5,000 house and lot in the Sunset District. To the person whose estimate comes next nearest the correct figure will be awarded the second premium and so on down the list.

There will be in all five coupons published (June 29, July 27, August 31, September 28 and October 26) and each subscriber is entitled to five guesses, or one for each coupon published, although but one guess is necessary. However, should you send in your estimate and later desire to change it, you will have in all five opportunities. The coupons should be filled out and sent to The Bulletin office, where they will be filed according to the postmark date of mailing, so that the nearest guess to the correct figure bearing the earliest postmark will receive the first premium.

In order that all may have the equal advantage of five guesses those whose subscriptions come in too late to receive the coupon already published may arrange their subscriptions to cover the time which would have been required to secure the coupons, when they will be given specially printed coupons to the number they have failed to receive.

Each winning subscriber will be awarded but one premium, and as the list of premiums is a long one, it promises an equally long list of winners.



This is the Grand First Premium which will be awarded to some fortunate Sunday Bulletin Subscriber. Value \$5,000. A Suburban Villa, built upon a specially selected lot in San Francisco's most popular and attractive section, the "Sunset District." Located but one block from Golden Gate Park and one block south of the Park's new entrance via the Nineteenth-avenue boulevard.

The awarding of the premiums will be in the hands of a committee of business men of this city, whose names will be announced at some future date in the columns of the Sunday Bulletin.

The tabulated statements of former Gubernatorial votes, as well as the total vote polled in this State at several Presidential elections, which will be published from time to time, will guide you in making your estimates of the vote to be cast in November.

Remember it is only the total vote polled which is to be considered.

Your subscription may be sent by mail to this office or left with any agent of The Bulletin or at one of the San Francisco offices of The Bulletin.

The subscription price of the Sunday Bulletin for one year is \$2.00. To the Daily Bulletin for six months it is \$3.00.

Remember that your subscription itself entitles you to one premium—a handsome artogravure—and to five guesses in the contest, one of which may win you the house and lot.

Although this handsome \$5,000 Suburban Villa is the most valuable premium offered there are many others whose values range from \$1.00 to several hundred dollars. However, the complete list is published and illustrated, and you may read the descriptions of the premiums with the firms' names from which they are secured, which in every instance give assurance that the articles are the best in their several classes that can be obtained.

Read the splendid list and remember you may win any one of the premiums for your own.

The estimates are coming into this office daily, and you should file your guess.

All communications should be addressed to the Premium Department of The Bulletin, 233 Kearny street, San Francisco.

10,000 Works of Art Value \$1 Each

To each of the first ten thousand subscribers whose names are enrolled upon The Bulletin's lists will be presented a choice from four magnificent Artogravures. Not one of the pictures can be bought in an art store for one cent less than the price of the yearly subscription to The Sunday Bulletin. These pictures are produced by an entirely new process whereby every minute detail of the original painting is retained even to the appearance of the canvas upon which the original is painted, and when one of these magnificent art works is framed it cannot be told from an original oil painting. The four pictures are as follows:

"THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION"
One of the most artistic reproductions ever made of this religious work. The original of this picture in its European gallery is valued at many thousands of dollars, but The Bulletin places a perfect reproduction of the same within the reach of its subscribers.
"PHAROAH'S HORSES"
By the eminent painter, John Frederick Herring, appeals at once to the lover of beautiful horses. In his painting which The Bulletin has reproduced for its subscribers it is almost possible to see the breath exhaling from the three magnificent animals which he has pictured. This painting is by long odds the most popular ever produced by this wonderful artist, and the elaborate reproduction which is here offered to Bulletin subscribers in detail and color equals the original.

"THE STAG AT BAY"
A reproduction by the famous artogravure process of Sir Edwin Landseer's masterpiece, which brought him more fame than all his other paintings combined. In this reproduction nothing of the original is lost, and its beauty can only be thoroughly appreciated when the actual art work is seen. Black and white absolutely fail to bring out the wonders of this famous picture.
"THE FALLS OF NIAGARA"
It is impossible to describe the grandeur and beauty of this elaborate reproduction. In the original the artist has caught every tint and color which characterizes this famous artist, and The Bulletin's reproduction retains every touch of artistic skill which the artist's work displays. Never before has such a picture of America's greatest natural wonder been offered to the public.

To be eligible for a guess in this contest either contract to take The Daily Bulletin for six months or pay one year in advance for The Sunday Bulletin.

Two Magnificent Premiums from The Zeno Mauvais Music Co., 769 Market Street— One Baumeister Piano, valued at \$500. One Simplex Piano Player, valued at \$250.	Six Separate Premiums from The Yamanashi, 219 Post Street, San Francisco— One Old Kutaniware Vase, valued at \$5.50. One Brassware Incense Burner, valued at \$15.00. One Brassware Flower Vase, valued at \$12.50. One Brassware Candlestick, valued at \$5.50. Four Artistic Iron Lanterns, valued at \$2.00 each.	Two Separate Premiums from the Remington Arms Co., 86-88 First Street, S. F.— One Remington-Lee Sporting Rifle, valued at \$25.00. One Remington Hammerless Double-Barrel Shotgun, valued at \$45.00.	Nine Separate Premiums from Schlueter & Volberg, 215-217 Sutter Street, S. F.— One Oriental Hall Lamp, valued at \$5.00. One Group of Shield and Sword, valued at \$6.50. One pair Oriental Portieres, valued at \$10.00. One Oriental Rug, valued at \$10.50. One Leather Sofa Cushion, valued at \$5.00. Four pairs Curtains, valued at \$2.50 each.	Two Savage Rifles as Two Separate Premiums from Baker & Hamilton, valued at \$21.50 each.	One Rubber Tired Runabout, valued at \$150, from Studebaker Bros. Co., S. F.
Six Separate Premiums from the Philadelphia Shoe Co., 10 Third Street— Two pairs Men's Shoes, valued at \$3.50 each. Two pairs Ladies' Shoes, valued at \$3.00 each. One pair Boy's Shoes, valued at \$2.50. One pair Child's Shoes, valued at \$1.50.	Sixteen Separate Premiums from the Haskell & Jones Co., 243 Grant Avenue, S. F.— One pair Lemale Pearl Opera Glasses, valued at \$30.00. One pair Gold Spectacles, valued at \$7.50. One pair Solid Gold Eyeglasses, valued at \$5.00. Three Thermometers, valued at \$1.00 each. Six pairs Nickel Eyeglasses, valued at \$2.50 each. Four pairs Nickel Spectacles, valued at \$2.50 each.	Two Separate Premiums from Leavitt & Bill, 307-309 Larkin Street, S. F.— One Gentleman's Bicycle, valued at \$50.00. One Lady's Bicycle, valued at \$50.00.	Two Premiums from George H. Kahn, 201 Kearny Street, San Francisco— One pair Solid Gold Spectacles, valued at \$10.00. One pair Pearl and Gold-Plated Opera Glasses, valued at \$10.00.	Eight Separate Premiums, valued at \$2.50 each, from Lundstrom's, 605 Kearny Street, and 1458 Market Street.	One Singer Sewing Machine from The Singer Manufacturing Co., Post Street, S. F., valued at \$70.00.
Six Separate Premiums from Hermann & Company, 328 Kearny Street, San Francisco— Two Gentlemen's Hats, valued at \$5.00 each. Two Gentlemen's Hats, valued at \$3.50 each. Two Gentlemen's Hats, valued at \$2.50 each.	Ten Columbia Graphophones from the Columbia Graphophone Co., 125 Geary Street— Three Graphophones, valued at \$15.00 each. Two Graphophones, valued at \$10.00 each. One Graphophone, valued at \$10.00. Three Graphophones, valued at \$25.00 each.	Two Separate Premiums from Baker & Hamilton, San Francisco— Two "Luger" Automatic Pistols, valued at \$25.00 each.	One End Spring Leather Top Buggy, valued at \$80.00, from Baker & Hamilton.	Thirteen Premiums from S. Sternheim & Co., 528-530 Market Street, San Francisco— One Blue Decorated Flemish Stone Vase, valued at \$10.00. One Tea Kettle, valued at \$15.00. One Dinner Set, valued at \$30.00. One Lamp and Globe, valued at \$5.00. Six Busts, valued at \$3.00 each. One Jardiniere and Palm, valued at \$12.00. One Terra Cotta Figure, valued at \$15.00. One Chafing Dish, valued at \$9.00.	Three Separate Premiums from The Wonder Millinery Co., 1026 Market Street, S. F.— One Lady's Trimmed Hat, valued at \$10.00. One Lady's Trimmed Hat, valued at \$5.00. One Lady's Trimmed Hat, valued at \$7.00.
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One Smith Premier Typewriter from L. & M. Alexander Co., valued at \$100.	Five Separate Premiums, valued at \$20.00 each, from F. H. Bushnell, San Francisco— Five Aristo Carbon Portraits, valued at \$20.00 each.	One Liebold Surrey Harness from The Liebold Harness Company, 211-213 Larkin Street, valued at \$150.	AND 10,000 MORE.	One Sewing Machine, valued at \$70.00, from J. W. Evans, 1021 Market Street, S. F.	Six Separate Premiums from Keith's, 808 Market Street, San Francisco— One Lady's Trimmed Hat, valued at \$20.00. One Lady's Trimmed Hat, valued at \$15.00. Two Ladies' Trimmed Hats, valued at \$10.00 each. Two Ladies' Trimmed Hats, valued at \$5.00 each.

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man; foreman, J. Vogt; first assistant foreman, W. Seuman. Following the exercises of the evening a banquet was served.

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Special cars will leave town at an early hour for the picnic grounds, and

it is expected that several hundred people will attend. A big dinner will be served under the trees after which dancing will begin in the pavilion.

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HOUSE WAS MOVED.

Walter Locke has had his house moved to the south end of his lot. He will build an addition to the place and make many improvements.

WILBER PIERCE IN TOWN.

Wilber Pierce, an old-time resident of San Leandro, was a recent visitor in town.

SOLD CIGAR STORE.

E. R. Couchman has sold his cigar store to M. C. King, and will travel for Kuczell, the Oakland cigarmaker.

HE HAS RETURNED.

Bert Rogers has returned to his home in this place, after spending a few weeks in Centerville.

SHIPPED TRACTION OUTFIT.

The Best works recently shipped a steam traction outfit to the city of

SHE IS ILL.
Mrs. C. Vivian is quite ill at her home in this place.

MRS. DORIS IN TOWN.
Mrs. Sarah Doris, who is well known in San Leandro, will be visiting friends in town this week.

HE HAS MOVED.
Manuel Perry has rented the Goodman cottage on Heppburn street.

CONGRESSMAN LOUD IN TOWN
Congressman Loud was a recent guest at the home of M. Donovan of this place.

SECURED GOOD POSITION.
Charles Tenny has secured a position with the Oakland Iron Works.

A FALSE REPORT.
Is being circulated that Sam H. Sluus has retired from business on account of the fire. Mr. Sluus is still in business at Sixth and Washington. Telephone Main 364. Orders for wood or coal promptly attended to.

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Poetry that will Please the Women

"He loves me: he loves me not!"

Ah, curious little maid,
She knows full well my love, and yet
The truth she hath essayed
To tear from out this tiny flower,
And as the petals fall,
She chants the tune, "He loves me
much;
He loves me not at all."

"He loves me: he loves me not!"
The petals fast grow few,
Alas! the thing is going wrong;
What will the maiden do?

She shyly steals a glance my way,
Two leaves as one take flight;
She murmurs, "Ah, she loves me much;
I'm glad it came out right!"
—Truman Roberts Andrews.

TOMORROW AND YESTERDAY.

Two sisters met in the darkness,
Tomorrow and Yesterday.
One clasped the hand of the other,
And softly was heard to say:
"Sweet are the moments now passing,

There's nothing left to regret;
But that to some I brought sorrow,
Fills me with sadness yet."

Sweet was the smile of Tomorrow,
Gently, so gently, she spake,
"Fear not, fear not, little sister,
Happiness for them I'll make."
Then in the darkness they parted,
Tomorrow and Yesterday;
Away from the earth one traveled,
To it one hastened her way.
—New York Observer.

AN OPEN QUESTION.

The band around his Summer hat he
lent her for a belt;
So when she gave it back again he saw
the little welt
Her buckle had inflicted, and he
whispered, bending low,
"If I but look on this, dear one, your
measure I shall know."

With just the least suspicion of annoy-
ance in her pout,
"Is that the only way," she said, "you

have of finding out?"
—Helen Chauncey.

BE NOT DISMAYED.

From hottest fire comes purest gold,
From blackest cloud the flash behold;
From dark, deep mine the flawless gem
That sparkles in yon diadem.
From dull, cold earth the faint perfume
That telleth of the lily's bloom;
The fairest hopes spring fresh from
fears,
Eyes all the brighter shine for tears.

The weary feet know sweetest rest,
Comes truest prayer from heart op-
pressed;
Beneath the lash of wild despair
The very bravest deeds we dare.
Full, bitter draughts oft woo relief,
Off holy peace begot of grief—
Have patience, all is wrought for good,
If we, dear heart, but understand.
—Kathleen Kavanaugh.

A WOMAN'S "NO."

She answered, "No." It gave me pain;

But did she mean the sweet disdain—
That made her lustrous eyes more
bright?
I knew, if not her chosen knight,
My love for her could never wane!
Awhile I brooded, hapless swain!
And then for solace was I fain;
Had I a rival in her sight?
She answered, "No."

Still liked I not my love's refrain.
A thought! I'd make it fit my strain!
Again unto my heart's delight
I strove to put the question right:
"Sweet, must I always sue in vain?"
She answered, "No."
—Samuel McInturn Peck.

MARGARET—A PEARL.

On gay parade in crowded hall,
When fickle fashion flirts and
flaunts,
Among the worldlings at the ball—
Mid scenes the blaise trifle haunts,
You ne'er will meet
My love, my sweet!

But in the dwellings of the poor,
Mid scenes of suffering and grief,
Where there are mourners' tears to
dry,
And pity needed, and relief,
You're sure to find
My lady kind.

You'll know her by her patient smile,
And by her gray eyes, calm and
sweet,
And by her white hands' soothing
touch,
And by the soft fall of her feet,
What time you meet
My love, my sweet!

And oh! you'll understand why I

Have sworn to be her faithful
knight,
The while you marvel why she stooped
To raise me to her own white height,
When you have met
My Margaret.
—M. Hedderwick Browne.

FORETHOUGHT.

When I sit before the fire in my hoary-
headed age,
When I may not read because I cannot
see the printed page;
When I may not dine off terrapin, or
caviar-back, nor try
A new brand of champagne, because
dyspepsia hovers by;

When I may no longer whisper in a
pretty woman's ear,
"I love you!"—for her answer I shall
be too deaf to hear—
What if memory has no gladness from
that past wherein I live,
When the only pleasures left me are
the joys my memories give?

Thus I answer all the critics who are
mocking at my ways:
Let me have a post to dwell on in the
Winter of my days!
—Louise Winter.

A DAY TOO LATE.

She loved the laddy dearly,
And he loved none but her,
Yet she would flirt, and oft pretend
To other swains prefer!
Who'er he came a-pleading
That she would name the day,
She did not to his words attend,
But smiled, and turned away!

This state of things continued
Till months ran into years,

Yet still she held him in suspense
As to her hopes and fears!
No answer would she give him,
How'er he might implore,
But urged some frivolous pretence,
And flirted more and more!
He patience lost, and courted
And won a kinder maid—
With tears the capricious lassie came,
And for forgiveness pray'd!
"Yes! I forgive!" he answered,
"But could no longer wait,
You only have yourself to blame,
You're just a day too late!"
—Edward Oxenford.

IN THE HEART OF AUTUMN.
Against the heaven's turquoise wall
The woodland lets its arras fall—
Blent threads of crimson, russet, gold
And amethyst imperial.

If you but pause, if you but list,
The wind, a dulcet lutanist,
Refrain and mellow burden old
Will play, till droops the sun in mist.
Rilllets renew their vernal themes;
With purple and with amber gleams
The lane, the orchard aisles unfold
The ancient Hesperian dreams.

Although the southward flight begins
Still crickets tune their violins;
And deep in many a tangled hold
Its gossamer the spider spins.

Flushes the grape in prophecy
Of the rich vintage yet to be;
Touched with the chemie fire of cold,
The woodbine trails from tree to tree,
And down the haze encompassed land,

Where, umbering, the corn shocks
stand,
The never wearying tale retold,
My love and I walked hand in hand.
—Clintond Scollard.

WAYSIDE HOMES.

As I rode on my errand along,
I came where a prim little spire
Chimed out to the landscape a song,
And glowed in the sunset like fire.

Its cross became a beckoning ray,
And the home of my mother I knew;
So I pressed to its portal to pray,
And my book from my bosom I drew.

How sweet was the service within,
And the plain rustic chant how sin-
cere!
How welcome the pardon of sin,
And the kind parting blessing, how
dear!

And the parson—I knew not his name,
And the brethren—each face was un-
known;
But the Church and the prayers were
the same,
And my heart claimed them all for
its own.

For I knew—in my own little nook,
That eve, the same Parson was said,
And Lessons, the same from the Book,
By my far-a-way darlings were read.

So I prayed, and went on in my way,
Blessing God for the Church he hath
given,
My steed on his journey was gay;
So was I—on my journey to Heaven.
—Arthur Cleveland Cox.

A KITE PLAYING ACTING the HAWK

Kite flying is one of the favorite sports in Bengal. When the boys go out to try the wind they seek the housetops, instead of the streets and fields. The kites are made in such a way that no running is necessary to give them a start. Without tails, the Bengal kites ascend easily, because they are so light, being made of tissue paper and thin strips of bamboo. When a kid in that country wants a kite he takes a strong piece of tissue-paper, twelve inches square, and fastens it with glue to a bamboo frame. From corner to corner strips of the same material are run across the kite diagonally, and bent slightly outward.

The kite, when finished, differs from the American affair mainly in these bent strips of bamboo, which keep the tissue paper extended flat and taut. Where the tail should commence a small square of paper is attached, just about sufficient to cause one end to be recognized from the other. The string is now at- tached, and the kite balanced, so as to form a suitable resistance plane to the air. The whole often weighs less than one ounce.

In the evening in Bengal a steady breeze blows inland from the bay. It is then that for the housetops the little European community in the smallest towns often amuse themselves with the sport of kite flying, and there is sport in it. As many as a dozen of these lit- tle Bengal kites may be seen in the air at a time, of all colors, and many of them part-colored, giving a very pretty

effect. The experts in the game would fly a tandem of say a red and a blue kite. The ability to do this, though re- quiring a little skill, may be soon ac- quired with practice. One kite is sent upon a couple of hundred yards of thread; then another on about a hundred yards; the two threads are then knotted together, and this connected with a single line, which may be run out several hundred yards more.

The inland breeze from the bay is so suitable, being gentle and steady, for flying the kites that no difficulty what- ever is experienced in causing them to ascend; they will fly straight away from the hand, which is, of course, necessary in so confined a space as a housetop. The line may be paid out quickly, and in a few moments a remarkable altitude is attained. It is remarkable to what a great amount of air pressure these little

Bengal kites will stand. On hauling them down the sides of the tissue paper will often be found serrated with the wind like a saw edge. They will fly equally well in this country when suitable at- mospheric conditions prevail.

When a number of kites are flying on an evening, of course, some will get in the way of others, and this starts the sport. By judicious handling of a kite line it can be jockeyed across the line of another, saving the latter through- out. The kite, and thus removing one opponent from the field, greatly to the amusement of the remainder of the kite flyers, and proportionately to the chagrin of its owner. Then evening after-even- ing the discomfited tries with a fresh kite to pay back with interest the in- jury he has received.

An English traveler tells of one excit- ing evening when the kite flying season

was at its height. After the preliminaries necessary to getting good and ready were over, the success of one competitor made all the rest suspicious that he pos- sessed some undue advantage. At last the secret leaked out. He had applied powdered glass to his string by means of some gummy substance. This was prob- ably a trick he had borrowed from the Chinese, who are great experts at kite flying, as they are in many other amuse- ments more or less scientific.

For a while this tricky fellow was seen to be cutting the threads of the other kites with his prepared string. Appar- ently he was an old hand at the busi- ness, for soon the fun was all on his side. The field was left to him. From that time a demand sprang up in that village for strings treated to a coating of gum and powdered glass. The dealers were not slow in taking advantage of

this. Soon all the kite flyers were on an equally shaky, having similar strings, and the fun grew more interesting.

One peculiar kite, which had good suc- cess, was made of half black and half white paper. It was as pliable as a fly, and from its color, or absence of color, could be distinguished at a great distance off. After bringing down a couple of oppo- nents, it became known as the "pirate," and accordingly received a great deal of attention from all colored kites, which might apply to be described in such a con- nection as "flags of all nationalities."

For several evenings in succession the "pirate" promptly tackled all challengers, and indeed, for a while was scarcely in- vincible. But, as all champions must have their day and all records go by the board, one evening the "pirate" was suc- cessfully engaged by a red kite. The line was severed and the good old "pirate" floated away in the distance. A yell of excitement was raised by all the own- ers of the neighboring housetops. The "pirate" had brought down five of its kind, and its downfall was watched with eagerness by the crowd.

LANDSEER THE ARTIST.

The greatest painter, as well as lover of animals, was Sir Edwin Landseer, the English artist, who was born in Lon- don in 1802. Edwin began to draw when he was only about 6 or 7 years old. When he was 12 years old he saw a fine St. Ber- nard dog in the street one day. Edwin followed the dog home and begged the owner to allow him to make a sketch of him. This drawing is said to be the finest

picture of a dog ever produced. It was so natural that a live dog that looked at it became greatly excited.

Landseer was wonderfully quick in his work. One evening, at a reception in London, some one made the remark: "Well, there's one thing nobody has ever done, and that is to draw two things at once." Landseer, who was present, said: "I can do that; I'll show you." The pencil and a piece of paper were brought and the artist, taking a pencil in each hand, drew at the same time a stag's head and the perfect profile of a horse, and the drawing by the left hand was quite as good as that by the right.

It is said that dogs and children can pick out their friends by instinct; cer- tain it is that Landseer had a wonderful power over animals, and especially over dogs. A lady once asked him the secret of his influence. By peeping into their hearts, he said, was his answer. Once he came in from his meadow and some one asked him what he had been doing. "Only teaching some horses a few tricks, and here is my whip," he said, showing a piece of sugar in his hand. Landseer said that his interest in horses meant more than anything else in his life. He was al- ways strongly opposed to a dog being tied up and said that a man would far better tie up his dog, because a man could take off his coat, but a dog had to live in his forever.

Landseer was a great favorite with the royal family, Queen Victoria especially being very fond of him. Once when she was ill she made him pay her a visit to

Balmoral. Landseer died in 1872, and was buried with distinguished honors in St. Paul's Cathedral.

HOW TO MAKE A DOLL HOUSE.

In a dark corner of a certain attic there is a fascinating doll house that, if you know much about the price of such things, you would say cost \$10 or \$12. This apparently expensive toy, that was a wooden box a month ago, is about three feet long and a foot and a half wide. It costs a quarter of a dollar. The lid was put on hinges and when the box is stood up and it forms the door or side of the house that can be set wide open. Two shelves are fitted in for floors and four holes were cut for windows on each floor. These are filled in with window- glass found about the price of such things. The walls are covered with a piece of paper, with a fringe of pale yellow roses and a light pattern on the second story. The wall paper was found in the house, too, but books and samples are often given away by dealers in wall paper. If paper is not to be had without an outlay, cover the walls with pale- tinted silk or cambric, with a little frill at the top, fasten to the wall with tacks. Then add little curtains of lace of cheesecloth, and make rugs or car- pets of bits of old carpets or heavy cloth. A piece of plush or olive or cardinal color, with a wide border of another darker color, would make a rich-looking car- pet.

The walls are covered with old blue carriage paper, with a fringe of pale yellow roses and a light pattern on the second story. The wall paper was found in the house, too, but books and samples are often given away by dealers in wall paper. If paper is not to be had without an outlay, cover the walls with pale- tinted silk or cambric, with a little frill at the top, fasten to the wall with tacks. Then add little curtains of lace of cheesecloth, and make rugs or car- pets of bits of old carpets or heavy cloth. A piece of plush or olive or cardinal color, with a wide border of another darker color, would make a rich-looking car- pet.

Ebell Society's Year Book is now in the printer's hands and will shortly be issued to members.

Section work commences in Septem- ber, by which time everybody is sup- posed to have returned from the sum- mer outing.

It is expected that all classes will be unusually large this season owing to the society's increased membership.

IN PHILADELPHIA.

The Acorn Club is now a recognized Philadelphia institution. Years ago it bought a spacious mansion on Wal- nut street, spent a considerable sum of money in remodeling it, decorated and furnished it luxuriously and tastefully, and settled down with a resident mem- bership reaching the limit of six hun- dred and fifty, and a non-resident list of fifty more. It is the only club of the sort in this country that has attained anything like success. Rich, honored and housed just as it wished to be, the Acorn Club is happy and flourishing.

The entrance fee for a resident mem- ber is \$40; for a non-resident, \$20. The annual dues are \$20 for the resi- dent and \$10 for the non-resident mem- ber. The entrance fees are set apart as a reserve fund and invested from time to time in such securities as the board of governors selects. This fund can be used only for current expenses.

The beautiful club home is charm- ing, and every apartment presents a

distinct attraction. Those who know the artistic ability of Mrs. Cornelius Stevenson, the president, will recog- nize her guiding hand.

AN ALASKAN CLUB.

The first woman's club in Alaska, was organized in November, 1899, at the suggestion of Mrs. W. L. Distin, who was president for the first two years. Shakespeare's comedies and tragedies were studied the first two years, the historical plays coming later, all of which were read as thor- oughly as possible with the limited reference books at their command. There is a varying membership of twenty-five, and every Thursday after- noon, from October to the middle of June brings a club meeting. The president is Mrs. Mary Fay Pendleton of Sitka, who would be glad to hear from other club presidents how to secure the loan of a reference or trav- elling library.

COLLEGE WOMEN SUFFRAGISTS.

Miss Alice Stone Blackwell, in a paper in the Boston Herald in July, ex- pressed her opinion that in Massachu- setts at least the women most active in educating public opinion toward a be- lief in equal rights for women are largely college graduates. Says Miss Blackwell:

"The first woman in Massachusetts to obtain a college degree was Lucy Stone. She took it in 1847 at Oberlin, O., then the only college in the United States that admitted women. For many years she and I were the only

club women and work of suffragists.

mother and daughter in the associa- tion of collegiate alumnae. The pres- ent chairman of the state board of in- structors of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Association is an honor gra- duate of Radcliffe (Mrs. Park). The president of the National Woman Suffrage Association, Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, is a graduate of the same college as her husband."

And she goes on to say that on the suffrage amendment in Colorado, at a canvass of Wellesley College gave, on occasion of the carrying of the equal of 622 professors and students, 506 of whom announced themselves as in favor of equal suffrage. Also President Helen A. Shaffer of Wellesley, quite a number of professors and 70 students over 21, sent up a suffrage petition to the legislature one year. At the time women who signed a paper in favor of equal suffrage were six instructors from Smith, and President Irvine, Dean Stratton and 20 professors and associate professors from Wellesley.

women will be fresh and sweet, despite life's happenings and sorrows.

YOUR POINT OF VIEW.

Remember it is not only other people you are injuring by stooping to gossip and scandal. You are crying aloud to the world the fact that your own out- look is from a low standpoint.

And if you believe and speak only the best of people it has a wonderful effect on those people, and makes them try, at all events, in your presence, to live up to the standard that is expected of them. Think what an influence for good you might have if only you would, and make up your mind to be kind in word and deed "just for to-day."

And if that is your daily morning resolution, and you try to live up to it, the valley will soon know you no more, for you will take up your permanent abode on the hilltop, and wonder how you were ever contented below.

OVERSENSITIVE PEOPLE.

Over-sensitive people are usually very fine-grained, highly organized and in- telligent, and, if they could overcome this weakness, would become capable, conscientious workers. This falling- out, too—is an exaggerated form of self-consciousness, which, while en- tirely different from egotism or conceit, causes self to loom up in such large proportions on the mental retina as to overshadow everything else. The victim of it feels that, wherever he goes, whatever he does, he is the center of observation, and that all eyes, all thoughts, are focused upon him. He imagines that people are criticising his movements and his person, and mak- ing fun at his expense; when, in real- ity, they are not thinking of him, and perhaps did not see him.

CASHMERE SHAWLS.

Cashmere shawls are made from the

wool of the Cashmere goat, which lives in the Cashmere valley, Tibet and Tartary. Only the summer wool is used, and this is bleached by a pre- paration of rice flour. For each colored thread a different needle is used. The process is so slow that when the de- sign is elaborate the completion of one square inch will occupy three per- sons for a day, and a shawl of remark- able beauty would take this number a year for its execution.

THE BEST TABLECLOTH.

With many it is a domestic tragedy when the best tablecloth ends an hon- ored existence. Of course, in the hands of a thrifty housekeeper, this is not until its spotless surface has been adorned with sundry bits of embroidery, and even then if rightly managed it has years of existence before it in other spheres. Hold such a cloth up to the light, so that the thin places may be readily seen, and let some one with a blue pencil mark around them; then lay it on the floor or a large table and cut from the better part an infinite number of small dollies of various sizes, four, six, eight or ten inches square; oblong napkins, also of different sizes, cutting your coat always according to your cloth. Roll these up and lay them in the "fifteen-minutes basket," and when you find an idle moment on your hands, fringe them. The result will be a store of dollies which you will at once find so useful that you will wonder how you ever kept them pure and sweet. Put them over the fire in a large boiler of water, with one ounce of soda to each gallon, and boil for twenty minutes.

If an eury tinge be desired in lace, place powdered saffron in water and allow the lace to lie in it, increasing the strength until the desired tint is obtained.

Skirt and bodice hangers are now so inexpensive that they can be a feature in every woman's wardrobe. The frames can be wound with strips of cloth or silk. Oris powder or some delicate sachet may be used in the lining to impart a faint fragrance to the garment.

ABOUT THE HOUSE.

A small, flat paint brush is useful in cleaning the corners of the window sash. To remove paint spatters try hot vinegar, and to clean off putty use tur-

trouble of all places where they live, and often by their wicked actions are brought to shameful untimely death and "Destruction," and so thinking they held out the best remedy was edu- cation, not only to "just accounts," but in "sober and virtuous principles," the Christian religion and industrious habits. Therefore these anxious tradesmen, whose educational capital came to five pounds, bestirred them- selves, and in 1698 founded a free school at St. Margaret's, Westminster—the Grey Coat school. It began as a boys' school, but girls were admitted in 1700, and 150 years later the school came under the endowed schools' com- mission, on which occasion the whole endowment was bestowed on girls, the boys being provided for by other Westminster endowments.

ENGLISH GIRLS AND BLUE COATS

In a general way Blue Coat schools or Grey Coats schools are supposed to be charities mostly for the benefit of boys, and it will come as a surprise to many to learn, as one may through the Englishwoman's Review, that the Grey Coats hospital has from its very beginning in 1698 been a co-educational institution. According to the history of this famous school, written by E. S. Day, head mistress, at the end of the sixteenth century, certain tradesmen in Westminster were distressed at "the great misery that the Poor Chil- dren of the said Parish do generally suffer, by reason of their idle and Li- centious Education, whereby they be- come (for the most part) the Curse and

trouble of all places where they live, and often by their wicked actions are brought to shameful untimely death and "Destruction," and so thinking they held out the best remedy was edu- cation, not only to "just accounts," but in "sober and virtuous principles," the Christian religion and industrious habits. Therefore these anxious tradesmen, whose educational capital came to five pounds, bestirred them- selves, and in 1698 founded a free school at St. Margaret's, Westminster—the Grey Coat school. It began as a boys' school, but girls were admitted in 1700, and 150 years later the school came under the endowed schools' com- mission, on which occasion the whole endowment was bestowed on girls, the boys being provided for by other Westminster endowments.

There were many struggles over this school, the commissioners striving again and again to turn it into a mid- dle-class school, but such action was for a long time successfully resisted. The school is now, as it always has been, a church of English institution, and its governors were also successful in obtaining the limitation of sixty free places to poor children from the elementary schools of the city of West- minster. One of the many points fought over was the nomination of "lady governors."

"The school inquiry report" (said the commissioners) "shows how univer- sally the emoluments of endowments common to the sexes, have gravitated to the male. It is difficult to suppose that such would have been the case had women been on the governing

bodies; nor is it easy to devise any durable remedy, except to recognize their capacity to serve on the govern- ing bodies." And they point out that: "If the women are to do good service they must have power, and power and responsibility must go hand in hand." In the end the appointment of women proved so successful, that for many years past the minimum number of women has been exceeded.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE CAZARINA.

A lady at the Russian Court, writing to a contemporary, describes the Czarina as a woman in every way to be admired. "An excellent mother, she nevertheless does not give herself over entirely to domestic felicity. The wel- fare of the Russian people is her con- stant thought. The sufferings of the outcasts in Siberia really wound her tender heart. As a companion she pleases everybody. You think her face looks mournful; but you should see it light up. There is no one who enjoys a heartier laugh than she. The amusing caricatures she perpetrates, and of which you have heard, are the suggestions of her humorous fancy. Like many people with a strong sense of humor, she knows not what real frivolity means. I can say that the Czarina cares more truly for essentials than any other woman I could name."

Women and Things About the Home

It is to be regretted that in the inter- est of her sex the woman who seeks a gentleman for surrendering his seat in the cars does not speak up boldly and cheerfully, as if she really meant what she said.

There are an infinite number of shades of which this little "Thank you" is susceptible, as any one knows. It may be uttered in such a way as to cause the blood to tingle with indigna- tion. It can be said with such grace and sweetness that the recipient will carry the memory of it as the memory of some delicious perfume or beautiful picture or sympathetic strain of music all through the long day of business care.

For such a reward as this thousands of men have suffered uncomplainingly, have fought, bled and died on the bat- tle field. It would seem a very simple thing but the grace and politeness and gentleness of speech which distin- guish the women of the chivalric age are now wholly unknown. It might be said. When women talk of the decay of chivalry in men they forget that men are, to a great extent, what women make them. Men are the exact reflection of their wives and sisters and mothers. Through the history of the character of the women of that time we have a certain knowledge of the women of the era. As it is im- possible for the fountain to rise higher than its source, so it is impossible for men to rise higher than their wives, mothers and sweethearts. So when women begin to realize the vast influ- ence they exert they will not complain of the lack of chivalry in men when they do nothing to call forth that chiv- alry, devotion and respect.

WOMEN AND BEAUTY.

The physical beauty of women should last until they are past fifty. Nor does beauty reach its zenith under the age

of thirty-five or forty.

Helen of Troy comes upon the stage at the age of forty. Aspasia was thirty-six when married to Pericles, and she was a brilliant figure thirty years thereafter. Cleopatra was past thirty when she met Anthony. Diane de Poitiers was thirty-six when she won the heart of Henry II. The king was half her age, but his devotion never waned.

Anne of Austria was thirty-eight when described as the most beautiful woman in Europe. Mme. de Maintenon was forty-three when united to Louis, and Catherine of Russia, thirty-three when she seized the throne she occupied for thirty-five years. Mile Mar was most beautiful at forty-five, and Mme. Recamier between the ages of thirty-five and fifty-five. The most lasting and intense passion is not in- spired by the two-decade beauties, says Science Siftings.

The old saw about sweet sixteen is exploded by the truer knowledge that the highest beauty does not dwell in immaturity. For beauty does not mean alone the fashion of form and coloring, as found in the waxen doll. The dew of youth and a complexion of roses sometimes combine in a face that is unmovable and unresponsive, as though lacking utterly the life spark. A woman's best and richest years are from twenty-six to forty. It is arant error for any woman to regard her- self as passeé at an earlier day.

In the course of years, however, a time arrives when the coming of age must be recognized, when the muscles begin to relax, the skin to lose its polish and roundness and softness give place to angles. Contentment and good hum- or will still outlive all medical in- ventions as a preservative of youth. A woman, beautiful in all else, but want- ing in mirth, will grow old, sour, thin, and sorrowful, while the merry, fun-loving

stone fruit is harder to digest than any other kind; it may be true, though it is not easy to believe in it. More likely it is the green condition in which peaches and plums are picked since they ripen well off the tree, that makes them unwholesome. Plums certainly possess cathartic properties well nigh unvalued, so it is just as well not to give them to children unless they are known to agree, and also unless they are in per- fect condition.

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Grimes—My wife paid me quite a compliment last night. She told me I would make a fine novelist.
Henderson—How came she to tell you that?
Grimes—That's what I don't know. I was explaining to her how I happened to be so late getting home, and all of a sudden and quite irreverently, she said: "Do you know, John, you would make a splendid novelist!" Naturally, I felt flattered, but it seemed

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION, SATURDAY, AUGUST 9, 1902.

Pursuant to adjournment the Board of Equalization met at 9 A. M. The roll was called and all members found to be present.

APPLICATIONS FOR REDUCTION OF ASSESSMENTS.

NO. NINETEEN.

E. H. Woolsey, notice waived. On motion of Supervisor Church, seconded by Supervisor Rowe, assessment reduced from \$25.150 to \$25.150, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

NO. TWENTY.

J. A. McCusker, notice waived.

On motion of Supervisor Church, seconded by Supervisor Rowe, assessment reduced from \$30 to \$30, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

NO. TWENTY-ONE.

E. H. Woolsey, notice waived.

On motion of Supervisor Church, seconded by Supervisor Rowe, assessment reduced from \$25.150 to \$25.150, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

NO. TWENTY-TWO.

A. M. Sallinger, notice waived.

On motion of Supervisor Church, seconded by Supervisor Rowe, assessment reduced from \$25.900 to \$25.900, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

NO. TWENTY-THREE.

A. M. Sallinger, notice waived.

On motion of Supervisor Church, seconded by Supervisor Rowe, assessment reduced from \$25.900 to \$25.900, by the following vote:

Ayes—Supervisors Church, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

NO. TWENTY-FOUR.

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Noes—None.

NO. TWENTY-FIVE.

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Ayes—Supervisors Church, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

NO. TWENTY-SIX.

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Noes—None.

NO. TWENTY-SEVEN.

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Noes—None.

NO. TWENTY-EIGHT.

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Ayes—Supervisors Church, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

NO. TWENTY-NINE.

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Ayes—Supervisors Church, Rowe, Talcott and Chairman Mitchell—5.

Noes—None.

NO. THIRTY.

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Noes—None.

NO. THIRTY-ONE.

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NEW PARIS GOWNS DEPART FROM CONVENTIONAL MODELS

Since nearly all modish gowns are at present constructed after the same fashion, and every woman at a dinner party looks, so far as her clothes are concerned, an exact counterpart of her neighbor, it is certainly something of a pleasurable relief to let the eyes wander over a costume so utterly at variance with prevailing lines, yet chic withal, as the Prussian model here portrayed.

Unusual as this gown is in every respect, it goes without saying that only a figure possessing classic proportions would dare attempt to wear it. In fact, it requires the model's curves and lines of a Greek goddess to set off the graceful plainness of the costume to advantage.

The material is a deep rose crepe de chine, the softness of the fabric being admirably adapted to the design, and a Greek key pattern in embroidery, to which is added an

empire border, supplies the only ornamentation.

In effect the costume is that of a princess robe, and about the waist and hips the soft, pliable crepe is drawn in without seam or dart, and from this point the full over-drapery is permitted to fall in clinging folds. At the left side the skirt curves upward to allow a glimpse of a second skirt of the same material. Then, as it falls toward the back, it spreads in a charming square train. Both skirts are simply bordered with the design previously mentioned, and this is daintily wrought in dull green paillettes and embroideries.

The same simplicity shows in the corsage arrangement. This is made low, in a V shape, and coming from the shoulders to cross at the bust, and then be drawn upward to meet again at the back, is a sur-

plice effect, which extends far over the arms in a drooping point. The extreme breadth given to the shoulders by means of this arrangement heightens the slender effect of the waist. The hips, however, are not accentuated, and the bust is low, but not flat.

The same artistic and conventional embroidery design marks the edge of the entire surplice, and where the deep point falls over the shoulder it serves as a cap to conceal the beginning of a straight flounce of accordion-plated pale rose monsteline, which represents the sleeve. A fold of the same soft fabric, in pale rose, is folded under the collar or surplice to soften the severe "Y" shaped line coming to a point at the bust.

Rare Bit of Accordion Plating.

Rarely this season does one observe a really modish costume that is entirely accordion-plated, possibly because it is difficult to secure a becoming train without resorting to artifice. In the case of the Giraud model, however, we are treated to a very charming effect made wholly of fine accordion plating.

From belt almost to hem the pastel crystalline skirt falls in unbroken plisse folds, and just above a four-inch hem is a wide insert of exquisite black chantilly lace, bordered on either side with a series of extremely fine tucks.

Even the corsage presents a plisse effect, and for trimming there are irregular bands of fancy black chantilly, starting from the shoulder, under the arm and at the waist, all converging at a point just to the left of the center of the bust, where the ends are concealed under a chain of the lace.

The sleeves are delightfully unique. A full puff of the handsome chantilly falls from a cape of lace trimmed crystalline, and at the top there is a twist and knot, while at the wrist the delicate fabric is drawn into a narrow cuff of the lace. A black lace hat leaves the front of the hair exposed and at the back, where the chantilly scarf and wreaths of periwinkles are daintily knotted, there are loose loops of chantilly.

Gown of Prussian Princess.

The third costume was designed especially by Reifert for the Princess Henry of Prussia to wear during the naval review.

The gown is of ivory serge and the skirt,

from the knees down, shows graduating box plaits which end in points overlapping a wide band of moiré, handsomely embroidered in pompadour flowers. This trimming encircles the skirt midway between belt and hem, and curves upward toward the back. The box plaits are stitched with a glancing moiré braid almost half that length, and are then permitted to flare gracefully to form a moiré train.

The body of the costume presents a bolero effect, with overlapping jackets pointed and edged with braid and opening over a very dainty lace trimmed gilet.

There is a belt of dark material, from which fall three slightly full basques, each one displaying a neat braid finish. A flat collar suggested with pompadour embroidery turns away prettily from the throat, and down each side of the jackets are placed small jeweled buttons.

The sleeves are a plain puff, slashed up the outside and showing an arrangement of dainty lace to match the gilet. This is drawn into a small wristband, upon which appears more embroidery. With this costume is worn a flat rolling hat of fancy straw, and an ivory tulle parasol is carried.

The remaining Parisian model represents a voluminous three-quarter coat of black tulle, designed by Ernest.

A decided fullness is given to the bottom of the coat by having the upper portion laid in vertical tucks, which are released below the hips. A wide, plain band of black cloth extends down the front of the coat, rounded at the corners and then finishes the entire bottom.

There is a curious arrangement of straps, straps at the bust. These are piped with white silk and are held to the garment by means of ornamental buttons. A handsome collar of white silk, heavily incrustated with Venise gimpure, and deep turn-back cuffs to match make a striking note of contrast to the somber black.

The full sleeves are extremely long, and just above the rolling cuff the plaits are held together by means of a curved strap of silk, piped with white and fastened in place with fancy buttons.

The tulle, which is a Carter model, goes beautifully with this handsome coat. It is quite flat and shows alternating rows of white and black, with a softly curling feather drooping gracefully from the left side toward the back.



A VERY ODD AND GRACEFUL DINNER DRESS OF ROSE CREPE DE CHINE.

BROADWAY'S SUMMER GIRL

While an open car was careering down the Rialto the delectable little creature immediately stepped out from the walk and shook or parasol defiantly at the motorman, who immediately brought his vehicle to a standstill with a jerk. Miss Fluff and Feathers, armed into the cap, apparently unconscious of the sensation she was creating.

This charming bit of lace, ribbon and city muslin was a New York summer girl—who does not carry off her duties to export to the mountains, but is willing to stay at home in a large, dusty city and ask her charms upon those pitiable ones who spend their summer in the city vote.

The bit of refreshing breeze seated here, it calmly in the open car, with an expression about her mouth as though to say: "I must go away and be a summer girl, like most of the rest of New York, therefore, I shall stay at home and be as much of a

summer girl in my own way as any of them."

A summer girl, enthroned in an open trolley car, bounded on the east by the New York Theater, on the west by a subway excavation, and with a large advertising sign for a background, is not only a unique picture; it is simply refreshing, and comes nearer to making one forget the odium of a season in town than anything else.

To look at her is to feel refreshed; to sit next to her—oh, joy! is equal to the most delicious summer zephyr, and one wishes he might ride on forever and ever.

Query: Is the Broadway summer girl as fascinating as the other sort found at large at the resorts? Answer: Yes! ten times more fascinating, for not nearly every other woman she meets a fool? And doesn't her peevish background "set her off," as it were, to greater advantage than any ocean wave or mountain peak?

Mileage Of Dances.

Every person who dances an ordinary waltz travels 1,200 yards, according to a French statistician who has recently been studying the subject.

This seems a long journey, but a longer one is taken by persons dancing a quadrille, for, says the statistician, "each of the eight persons who take part in this dance travels almost two kilometers." After the waltz comes the mazurka, representing a journey of 500 yards; then the polka, representing one of 900 yards, and finally the fourstep, representing one of 800 yards.

Every person who goes to a large hall which begins at 10 o'clock at night and ends at 1 o'clock in the morning and dances every dance, including the dual cotillon, takes not less than 50,000 steps.

Let anyone walk this distance and he will readily see that dancing is a more vigorous exercise than is generally supposed.

RULE WORKED ONE WAY.

"Do you love your neighbor as yourself?" "I love her better than myself, but she loves the mischief on the other side more than she loves me."



A VOLUMINOUS BLACK TAFFETA COAT, PRESENTING UNIQUE SLEEVES AND ORNAMENTATION.—CARTIER MODEL.

Thanks To The Trained Nurse.

"Now, doctor," said the trained nurse to the great physician, "what do I owe you?"

The wear and tear of her calling had begun to tell, and the nurse had taken her turn at resting patient. After a dozen visits she had come to pay her bill.

The specialist looked at her a moment gravely. Then he said: "You know I charge \$17.50 for a prescription."

The nurse gave a little involuntary gasp of alarm. "Oh, doctor," she exclaimed, "you mean for each prescription? Why, I've been here—"

Then it flashed upon her that the high-priced specialist might be joking.

"Yes," he resumed, with a suspicion of a smile. "You must pay me \$17.50 for each prescription or nothing."

There was no mistaking his meaning now. "But, doctor," said the nurse, "that doesn't seem quite fair. Here I've been coming week after week to see you and get your advice—you who are so busy, and with so many demands on your leisure that you scarcely have time to eat. Oh, I know, as

out-liners do not, how precious every minute is to you."

"But I do eat," returned the redoubtable M. D., "and at rather regular hours. And I do manage to put in a good night's sleep as a rule. Now, how do I manage to do this? Because of the trained nurse. Do you think I've forgotten the old days before she came? I don't! I know very well that without her the physician's work would be a dog's work. If I get the rest that I need and can cut out without interrupting it's due to her."

"It's good of you to say so, doctor."

"It's only decent that I should bear it in mind. How can I forget the times when, night after night, I would be called from my bed to visit some patient who didn't need me at all; some sick child, perhaps, who was doing finely. If the mother had only known it's that is all changed since the nurse is on watch and shares the responsibility. I'm only too glad to have been of some service to you in return for all you have done for me."



ACCORDION-PLEATED CRYSTALLINE GOWN, HAVING FULL BLACK CHANTILLY SLEEVES.—MODEL L. GIRAUD.

NEWEST STYLES IN HAIRDRESSING.

From the styles in hairdressing worn it is safe to predict the coming ultrafashionable coiffure. The hair is worn almost as low on the forehead as that of Queen Alexandra's present dressing. Instead of the bang, however, there are soft, flat puffs and a part at the side.

Many persons are using adjustable false hair under the puffs to produce the effect of mass and to keep the hair in place.

Hairstylists in England named these additions "coronation transformations" and assured their titled customers that at the "dramatic moment" when they heard the words, "Forcibly, assume your coronet," they needed to have no fear of their hair becoming disarranged with one of these pieces deftly tucked beneath the puffs.

In America, where we are constitutionally unable to assume coronets, these fringes promise to become exceedingly popular for automobile driving.

Small, close waves are entirely out of date, as is the long, useless curl, which was given a temporary revival last winter. Simplicity is the keynote now, and while soft, natural waves, like those in the portraits of Tommy and Cosway, are also getting in favor.

The broad undulations have also a practical as well as an artistic advantage, for they require much less curling with its jarring hot irons than was needed for the narrow ones.

In the back the hair is worn extremely low, even more so than last year. Although the knot, when completed, should have the appearance of plaits, actual braiding is not part of the process.

First divide the hair into an upper and a lower strand, and then make a soft loop on the neck, and pin the end in under, so that it resembles part of a braid.

The upper strand should be arranged in the same manner and finished off with a round comb at the top and shell plus.



IVORY SERGE DRESS, TRIMMED WITH POMPADOUR EMBROIDERIES. MADE FOR PRINCESS OF PRUSSIA.

What has become of the old-fashioned spanking—the kind that mother used to give? It seems to have gone out of fashion, and other modes of punishment have come into vogue.

It is difficult to believe that fashion extends even to the punishment of a child, but so it would seem. "Spanking" is no longer good form, and so it has gone out of favor and other modes of punishment have become popular. It is to be noticed that with each change parents and teachers are not only applying more humane treatment, but are resorting more and more to persuasion and reason instead of force.

When Johnnie's father was a very small boy he was punished for not leaving his lesson by being compelled to stand in a corner with a duncecap on his head. But Johnnie's teacher punishes him quite as effectively, though in a very different way. Instead of the duncecap at school, there is a report card which records very accurately, and the parents are sure to look over it very

carefully; so the boy who is not studious is made to feel just as much like a dunce as ever father felt while he was wearing a duncecap.

When Johnnie's father grew older and got beyond the verbal control of his teacher he occasionally found himself removed very unceremoniously from his bench, and he was beaten with a good, stout stick.

But Johnnie gets marks taken off his report. When his exuberant spirits reach the beating stage he is promptly suspended from school, and his punishment is complete.

When Mary's mother was a little girl she was spanked if she made mud pies just after she had been bathed and clad in a fresh white dress. But when Mary does the same thing now she is sent off to the nursery to survey her soiled frock, and she is told to remain there until after mamma comes back from her drive (the drive she was going on, too).

Taking it altogether, the punishment child does receive now is intended to be mental instead of physical.